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Today

Mountain Island
Skulls Facing East
Now Wrigley Runs It
If the U. S. Did as Well

BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

AVALON, Catalina Island, Dec. 28—This island, 25 miles long, is the top of a mountain, in the Pacific Ocean, 26 miles from the California mainland. The island mountain rises 2,200 feet above the water, its foot is planted on the bottom of the ocean, one mile below the surface.

Three hundred years ago, Indians lived here on the fish that still swarm, died and were buried, sitting up, their knees bent forward, their skulls facing east after the fashion of the Aztecs, who, facing to the East; they sat, silently, as though they knew that from the East was to come a white man, to kill them all.

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SPANIARDS came, bringing goats to the island. The goats, wild, still live here, in thousands. The Indians were visited by the whites that gave them a new religion, killed many, made the rest and put them in slavery on the mainland.

The last of the Indians, a woman, was taken away more than 20 years ago.

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NOTHING of the Indians now remains except skeletons bending their heads toward the east, in the island museum, photographs of the graves as they were opened, the Indian mothers' skeletons beside that of their babies, looking to the east, through bony eyes that stopped seeing, centuries ago.

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Now William Wrigley, Jr., owns and develops the island, and the Indians would be more surprised than the Spaniards would be, if both could see the work that Wrigley's terrific energy, and the five cents you pay for chewing gum, are doing on this island. Roads cut from the solid rock wind to the top of the mountain. Dynamite and steam shovels are eating away one mountain to leave a flat surface, half a mile wide. "That's to be the new flying field from the Atlantic, without dropping passengers anywhere east of this island."

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HALF rock cut from the mountain top, is sawed off, like a sugar loaf, goes thousands of tons every day, in barges, to build roads in San Diego and elsewhere. And more awe-inspiring than the works of men, are the iron lips that grip, crush and conquer the huge, hard rock.

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DYNAMITE, a carload exploding at a time, tears them from the mountain side. Steam shovels gather them in their mouthfuls, drop them on cars. Before they fall into the cruising cars, you hear a dull grind, grind, grind and looking down, see a great iron jaws, its two lips moving backward and forward only about four inches, its crushing bits with 750 electric horsepower behind them, and the big rocks becomes small rocks and drop down to crushers that make them smaller still. That grinding mouth tells you that man intelligence, plus mechanical power, means conquest of the earth, and civilization.

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UNDER the great Stone Mountain there are galleries and tunnels, and shafts running straight up and down hundreds of feet. From these are dug ore of lead and silver, discovered by Wrigley, who has the American knack of finding wealth anywhere.

The refractory zinc ore he sends to Illinois where zinc and silver are extracted. The easier lead and silver "concentrals" are smelted here in Avalon.

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BUT silver, lead, zinc and rock are unimportant by-products of this South Ocean paradise of marvelous beauty. They may mean wealth beyond the dreams of avarice, like Doctor Busch's brewery. But Wrigley had that kind of wealth already when he bought this island, seven or eight years ago, and found 150 human beings living here. Human beings and human affairs are the island's real business now.

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WRIGLEY runs big steam boats, bringing thousands from the mainland in a single day, has built hundreds of houses, including 1,200 in one group, 1,000 men here working for him, a first submarine cable ever made in this region runs to the mainland, enormous oil engines changing low grade oil into power for a permanent community of 2,000, and a transient population of twenty thousand.

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JUST at present, the island is interested in a swimming race from island to mainland for men and women. Wrigley has given $40,000 for prizes.

Miss Charebell Barrett, who swam the English Channel more than 40 years ago, and for two hours was lost in the Channel fog at night, is here, and the whole island admits that she is a better figure of a woman, bigger and stronger, even than Wrigley, and favorite to win the first prize.

OBTAIN $20,000

Two Bandits Hold Up Branch of Detroit Bank

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 28—Two bandits obtained approximately $20,000, it is estimated, by holding up a branch of the Commonwealth Savings Bank today.

The bandits worked behind locked doors. The branch manager and two employes arrived at the bank together and as they were opening the door the bandits arrived on the scene.

Without displaying their pistols, they forced the bank employes they were covering and then entered the bank with them.

The door was locked behind them and the three employes were forced to open the vault.

ZERO HOUR IN MEXICAN LAND TANGLE NEARS

Little Trouble Foreseen, However, When Laws Go into Effect Jan. 1

OIL CONCERNS COMPLY

Companies Seem Willing To Take Chance with Calles Government

Washington, Dec. 28—The zero hour in Mexican-American relations, set for Jan. 1, when Mexico's new land and petroleum laws become effective, seems destined to arrive and pass without anything very serious taking place, despite the state department's veiled threats a month ago of a break in diplomatic relations.

The rapidity with which foreign oil concerns, whose holdings in Mexico are worth many hundreds of millions, have been falling into line and complying with the Mexican government's new regulations has served to allay for the time being, at least, some of the tensity in the situation.

Willing To Take Chance

While the state department remains unshaken in its position that the new laws are communistic in theory and confiscatory in practice, the big oil companies are nevertheless apparently willing to take a chance on them, and are complying with the regulations in increasing numbers.

More than 50 of the biggest oil concerns doing business in Mexico, which include the principal American, British and Dutch corporations already have acted to protect their holdings under the new regulations, according to the Mexican embassy. The corporations apparently decided it was better to play safe with the Calles government than to trust the tortuous game of diplomacy.

Meanwhile, the state department continues to mark time and await developments. It has no comment to make on the Mexican situation and no new notes are planned, it was said at the department today.

Kellogg Assures Borah

The open hostility in congress to any break with Mexico and the no less open criticism of the department's policy in intervening in Nicaragua also has served to promote caution on the part of State Department officials.

The proposed senatorial investigation into the activity of American marines in Nicaragua seemed in doubt today following a conference between Senator Borah, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, and Secretary of State Kellogg. Kellogg assured Borah the marines were landed only to protect American lives, and property, and that they were taking no sides between the Nicaraguan conservatives and liberals who are now battling for control of the little republic. Borah appeared satisfied, although he intimated that he may later have some "startling disclosures" to make concerning the origin of the revolt in Nicaragua and the influences back of it.

POWER COMPANY OPENS THREE-DAY CONFERENCE

Branch Managers and Salesmen from All Sections of Country Attending Sessions

A three-day sales conference, attended by branch managers and salesmen representing the Power Manufacturing Co. at various points throughout the country opened at the company's main office here at 8:30 this morning.

The conference, the first of its kind in the company's history, will come to a close Thursday night following daily sessions in which business of the last year will be reviewed and sales plans for 1927 discussed. It is likely that similar meetings will be held annually in the future.

About 20 of the sales department representatives are in attendance. The conference is in charge of F. B. Morrison, secretary and treasurer of the Power Co. and John L. McCloskey, sales manager.

SPAIN'S STORM TOLL

Madrid, Dec. 28—Bitter cold weather and severe storms are bringing death in their wake throughout Spain. Eight persons are now reported dead in Madrid and twenty deaths have been reported from the provinces.

KING AND CAL TO TALK BY PHONE

London, Dec. 28—King George and President Coolidge will inaugurate a trans-Atlantic telephone service some time in January, talking between Buckingham Palace in London and the White House, in Washington, according to the Daily Express today.

WARD REVISION NOT TO COME BEFORE JAN. 1

Council Will Amend Ordinance By Enactment of Another, President Says

The plan adopted by City Council several weeks ago for Marion's new six ward plat is practically certain to be revised but the revision will not take place until after Jan. 1, according to a statement made last night by Emery E. Murphy, president of Council.

This statement was made following Council's final meeting of the year. As a result of no action being taken last night on the ward question, the original redistricting ordinance, which has been the target of attacks from the Marion Real Estate Board and other local organizations, will become effective on Jan. 1. It will be amended by adoption of another ordinance at one of the council meetings in January, President Murphy indicated.

Jacoby Proposal

A communication from J. W. Jacoby, local realtor and attorney, suggesting a new redistricting plan which he has devised, was received at last night's meeting and placed on file for further consideration.

In his proposed alignment of ward boundaries, Mr. Jacoby eliminates Center and Main-sts as the central dividing lines and substitutes Silver and Georges-sts and Columbia-st and Mt. Vernon-av as the east and west sectors and Prospect and Windsor-sts as the central north and south lines. In his letter accompanying the draft of this boundary arrangement, Mr. Jacoby said that he had drawn it up merely in tentative form without ascertaining whether it provides a suitable and equable distribution of population. He expressed the opinion, however, that it is at least approximately correct in that respect.

Although the Jacoby plan has not been indorsed by the Real Estate Board, it has been discussed by members of that organization, who believe that it provides the basis for a negotiation likely to lead to a satisfactory agreement.

Discusses Plan

Mr. Murphy is of the opinion, however, that the present First and Second wards should remain unchanged and that the two new wards should be created by dividing the Third and Fourth. The plan finally adopted, he says, will be designed to give all of the wards population figures as near equal as possible. This will eliminate the chief cause of objection found in the redistricting plan originally adopted. The boundaries established by that plan give four wards voting populations ranging from about 2,400 to 3,400 and leave two wards, the Fifth and Sixth, with only about 1,100 voters each.

Council decided to amend the original ordinance after Mr. Jacoby appeared at a recent meeting and convinced the members that wards to be legally established must provide a fairly equable distribution of population.

George T. Geran, who is to take office as City Solicitor on Jan. 9, was appointed as a member of the committee to reconsider the ward question and it was largely because of this that action was delayed until after the first of the year. Mr. Geran is now making a survey of the situation and will probably submit a new boundary proposal.

FALL IMPROVING

Former Secretary Suffering from Pneumonia at Texas Home

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 28—Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, who recently was acquitted with E. L. Doheny, oil man, on a conspiracy charge at Washington, is seriously ill here, but this morning was said to be resting comfortably.

Fall has pneumonia in his right lung, according to his physician.

Fall arrived here yesterday from Washington and was placed under the immediate care of a physician.

Town Honors Pioneer

But Trail Blazer Is Almost Too Busy, at Ninety-Two, To Attend Unveiling of His Own Statue; Starting Many Projects

Central Press Photo

Ezra Meeker

Puyallup, Wash., Dec. 28—Ezra Meeker, 92, who blazed the original Northwest with an ox-team in his youth, has since crossed the continent by rail, automobile, airplane, and even in an ancient prairie schooner just to show that he could do it again, has just been honored by his fellowtownsmen in Puyallup. A bronze statue of him, the work of Alonzo Victor Lewis, noted sculptor, has been unveiled in the public square.

Meeker was almost too busy to attend the unveiling. Although nearing the century mark, he is dividing an active life among many varied interests. Known as the father of the hop industry in the fertile Puyallup valley, he is trying to put the decadent industry back upon its feet and find a market for the hops in the Orient and elsewhere abroad.

He is at work, too, on a new history of early days in the West.

He is organizing a moving picture production company to film the romantic story of his first trek westward through the wilderness 74 years ago. He means to correct what he declares are historical inaccuracies in "The Covered Wagon", and other films on this theme.

He is also helping direct government plans for preservation of the original route of the Old Oregon Trail, with points of historical interest along the way marked with permanent monuments and inscriptions. Six million half-dollar silver coins were recently struck off by the United States mints in commemoration of the Old Oregon Trail. These souvenir coins were sold by the banks for $1 each, the proceeds being used for preservation and marking of the trail.

"That's the secret of living to a ripe old age—keep busy," says Ezra. "I'm a young man yet. I'm going to live way past a hundred."

Municipal Court May Not Begin Functioning Jan. 1; Remodeling Not Complete

Painters and Carpenters Rushing Work in Hope of Having Quarters Ready by First of Year; Other Courts Close Friday

Whether the new Municipal Court will begin operations here Saturday, Jan 1, or on the following Monday depends upon progress made with preparation of the court quarters by painters and carpenters who have been at work on the job for several weeks, Judge-elect William R. Martin stated today. If the rooms are in readiness by Saturday, the new judge will get his tribunal under way then, he says.

Even though opening of the new court may be delayed until Monday, transactions of the two local justices of the peace and Mayor Hazen's service as police judge will terminate Friday at midnight and all cases developing after that time will come before Judge Martin. The Municipal Court eliminates both justices of the peace and takes over all police cases.

Mr. Martin states that all details preliminary to the court opening have been attended to and his program of procedure definitely outlined. Record books to be used in the tribunal have been received and all other supplies, with the exception of a number of official blank forms, are on hand.

The judge-elect expects to make public within a few days a list of rules for the court.

John H. Powell, former Osgood Co. employe who is to be clerk of the court, is in Ashtabula this week visiting the court there and familiarizing himself with the routine work. He expects to return Friday to be on hand for the court opening here in case it takes place Saturday.

$36,000 RUM CARGO

Prohibition Agents Seize Freight Car In Cleveland Yards

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Prohibition agents seized a freight car in the local yards which contained 4,000 gallons of alcohol worth, at current bootleg quotations, about $36,000.

The shipment was consigned to the Miles-av Supply Co., four members of which have been summoned by federal authorities.

13 DEAD, MANY HOMELESS IN SOUTH'S FLOODS

Property Damage Estimated at $1,000,000; Waters May Reach Crest Today

BUSINESS SUSPENDED

Schools Used To House Refugees; Relief Work Organized

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 28—With 13 dead, hundreds homeless and property damage estimated at $1,000,000, flood waters in Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi were expected to reach their crest today.

No immediate relief was promised nearly 5,000 flood victims, who were forced to leave their homes in the lowlands, and it may be days before they can go back to them.

Out of their banks for nearly a week as the result of heavy rains, the Cumberland, Tennessee and Tombigee Rivers will reach their crest tonight and then slowly recede, the Weather Bureau predicted.

The known death toll, divided by states, is:

Arkansas, 6; Mississippi, 5; Tennessee, 2.

In addition to deaths, destruction of property and hardships, many towns in Tennessee and Mississippi were without train service as the result of high waters. The Louisville & Nashville and Illinois Central service was badly crippled in Tennessee and Mississippi.

Some commercial establishments in Nashville and other Tennessee towns were forced to suspend business while the damage to crops, highways, livestock, railroad property and homes have been heavy. School houses were used in Chattanooga to house the flood refugees, while warehouses and public buildings afforded a temporary shelter for the homeless in Nashville.

Relief work was well organized, it was said, and there was no apparent suffering.

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FLOOD CONDITIONS GROWING WORSE

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 28—After an all night rain of more than an inch, flood conditions grew worse here today, with the expectation that the Cumberland River would swell several more feet before it reached its crest tonight.

Approximately 3,500 are homeless in Nashville as the result of the overflowing of the Cumberland River. The property damage here along will reach $900,000, it was estimated. Towns up and down the river from Nashville are inundated, with business virtually suspended and rail and highway traffic demoralized.

Clarksville has more than 600 without homes; Carthage, 500; Hartsville, 10; Celina, 200 homes abandoned. Others towns along the river suffering damage were Lebanon, Jacksonville, Ashland City and Gainsboro.

GIRL BELIEVED THROWN THREE FLOORS TO DEATH

Police Are Searching for Two "Hell's Kitchen" Gangsters as Slayers

New York, Dec. 28—The body of Bella Stokes, a pretty 22-year-old blonde, was discovered early today crumpled in the snow in the rear of a building at 442 W. 41st-st.

She was apparently hurled to her death from a third story window by assailants.

Police are searching for two "Hell's Kitchen" gangsters as the murderers.

The murder missed being thwarted only by a matter of minutes. A passerby saw two men dragging a well-dressed girl into the hallway of a 41st tenement and notified the police. When detectives came to investigate the girl's body lay beneath an open window. Her skull was crushed and her body showed bruises.

A trail of blood inside the building led police to consider the possibility that the girl was slain before being thrown out the window. Neighbors reported hearing screams from the apartment. A hat and woman's handbag were discovered in the room of the vacant apartment where the window was open. The girl's attackers escaped over roofs.

The body of the dead girl was identified by a friend, May Roster, who said the victim was married.

Halterman Pleads Guilty to Murder of Brother, Wife

Ora Slater Gets Confession from Young Blessing's Corners Farmer After Efforts of County Officials Fail; Arraigned Before Justice of Peace

PROSECUTOR TO CALL SPECIAL GRAND JURY

Sheriff, Fearing Attempt May Be Made on Life of Confessed Killer, Spirits Him to Unnamed Jail Outside County

WASHINGTON COURTHOUSE, Dec. 28—Leo Halterman, 26, early this morning, pleaded guilty to two charges of murder when arraigned before Justice of the Peace Murray, for the killing of his half-brother; Charles Halterman and the latter's wife, Carrie.

ORA E. SLATER

He was bound over to the grand jury without bail, and spirited out of the county, as Sheriff Ramsay feared an attempt might be made on the life of the young Blessing's Corners farmer.

County Prosecutor Maddox, this morning, was arranging to call a special grand jury session to hear the case before Jan. 1.

Halterman confessed late last night after authorities and detectives grilled him for several hours, showing him the bloody clothes and the shotgun and hatchet with which the murders were committed.

"I feel better now," Halterman declared, after he had confessed to the double slaying. He was taken before Justice of the Peace Murray at 1 a. m., within an hour of his confession, and entered pleas of guilty to the two charges of murder.

Spirited from Jail

Sheriff Ramsay then arranged to spirit the 26-year-old slayer from the community, as feeling is said to be running high against him. He was taken to an unnamed jail for safekeeping.

Prosecutor Maddow announced that he will begin preparations immediately to call the grand jury into session and seek indictments. Sam Satterfield, a former employe of the slain couple, has been released from custody. Satetfield was held for investigation after Leo

PHILOSOPHY OF ORA SLATER WINS

Washington Courthouse, Dec. 28—Ora Slater, celebrated Cincinnati detective, and his "homespun" philosophy, have proved victorious again in unravelling an apparently puzzling murder mystery.

The quiet-voiced, kindly-mannered Slater sat silent and heard county authorities grill Leo Halterman, 26 year-old farmer, about the slaying of Halterman's half brother and the wife of the latter for hours.

Finally Slater asked if the prisoner "didn't want to talk to him alone." Half an hour later, the pair emerged from the room to summon a stenographer to take down Halterman's written confession that he had killed the couple and sought to throw suspicion on another man.

Slater's "homespun philosophy" and his unostentatious methods solved the Mellett murder mystery at Canton and obtained a confession from Jake Nesbitt in the famous Troy, Ohio, murder mystery of Mrs. Nesbitt.

Halterman told officers that he heard Mrs. Halterman, the slain woman, scream, "Oh, don't, Sam," "They are going to kill Charley," shortly before the bodies were found.

"When I saw Sam leave the jail, I knew the jig was up," Halterman told the officers. "I haven't had a minute's peaceful sleep since the killing. The form of Charley kept flitting in and out of my cell and his voice kept crying, 'Leo, Leo.' That's why I have confessed."

Slater Takes Hand

The murdered couple was killed early on the morning of last Thursday. Leo Halterman told officers that he was awakened by the woman's scream, and rushed into the back yard to find Mrs. Halterman lying on the ground with her skull crushed, dead. The body of his half-brother, shot several times with a shotgun, was found near the chicken house. Leo Halterman declared that his half-brother and the latter's wife had evidently heard a disturbance in their chicken house and had gone out

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PRISONERS ESCAPE

Climb Along Perilous Footing on Ice-Covered Ledge

Columbus, Dec. 28—Federal officials here today were searching for Herbert W. Smith, and James D. Reedy, of Harrisburg, Pa., federal prisoners who made a daring escape late yesterday from the federal building here.

Smith, a former convict in Michigan, Missouri and other states, had just been given a term of five years for transporting stolen automobiles, while Reedy had received a two and a half year sentence.

The pair asked a guard for permission to enter a toilet room on the fourth floor of the federal building, locked the door behind them, climbed along a perilous footing on an ice-covered ledge, entered another office and walked calmly to safety.

LITTLE PROGRESSIVE DEAD

Washington, Dec. 28—The search for Miss Gladys Wallace Hauck, wife of the wealthy Cleveland theatre Hauck, government prohibitionist, continued today, but with capital detectives admittedly making little progress. Mrs. Hauck disappeared two weeks ago following a quarrel with her husband and no trace of her has been found.

SMITH GIVEN 10 DAYS IN SENATE BY AGREEMENT

Will Be Allowed To Take Oath; Vote on Ousting To Follow

Washington, Dec. 27—Senator Frank L. Smith, named to succeed the late William B. McKinley, will serve a maximum term of 10 days, should he finally accept the appointment, under a plan virtually agreed to today by all factions in the senate.

The plan, proposed by administration senators, would include administering of the oath of office to Smith when he presents his credentials, five days consideration of his case by the senate elections committee and a vote by the senate on ousting him five days later.

At present the sentiment of the senate indicates Smith will be unseated by probably a seven to one vote.

Vote Assured

This procedure already has been indorsed by Senator Ashhurst, Democrat, of Arizona, who earlier filed a resolution proposing to "shut the doors of the senate" in Smith's face. Ashhurst agreed to the administration plans as a compromise because it insures a vote on ousting Smith within 10 days after his arrival.

The plan will be followed even though Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, leader of the insurgent bloc, had not as yet indorsed it. Norris told friends he would not object to it if other members of the bloc favored the plan and to date there have been no objections. Norris originally proposed to bar Smith from the senate without even administering the oath of office. This latter course would prevent Smith from ever becoming a senator.

Republican leaders, who are ready to vote to oust Smith, meanwhile, awaited for final word from Illinois. They commissioned Senator Deneen, Republican, of Illinois, to see Smith over the Christmas holidays and urge him to decline the appointment. Thus far, they have no definite word from Deneen.

BURTON HONORED

Testimonial Dinner in Honor of Congressman's 75th Anniversary

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Several hundred persons, from all walks of life, participated last night in a testimonial dinner in honor of the seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of Congressman Theodore E. Burton.

The venerable statesman was presented a great silver trophy.

TOLEDO U. HEAD DIES

Piqua, Dec. 28—Dr. Ernest A. Smith, 58, president of Toledo University, was found dead in his bed here today. He, with his wife, had been spending the holidays with his brother. Death was due to heart trouble, it is thought.

OHIO WEATHER

Rain, changing to snow, and colder tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy. Colder in east portion.

MARION OBSERVATIONS

Yesterday's high 38
Last night's low 29
Weather ..... Cloudy

One Year Ago Today

High 38
Low 24

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Observations of the United States weather bureau, taken at 7 p. m. (E. S. T.) today:

Boston	30	Memphis	60
Buffalo	34	New Orleans	66
Chicago	34	New York	40
Cincinnati	38	Pittsburgh	40
Cleveland	36	St. Louis	46
Denver	30	San Francisco	52
Jacksonville	56	Toledo	36
Los Angeles	56	Washington	42

IT'S NOT JOHN COOLIDGE'S FAULT HIS DAD IS PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—Being the president's son is a hard job, with none of the fun of being president.

Among youth of his age in the capital, where he has been spending the holidays, and, from all accounts, at Amherst, young John Coolidge has a reputation as a "regular feller."

John Coolidge

He's no prodigy. He's just a good general average. There's no swank about him. It's more than evident that he wants to be regarded as just an ordinary undergraduate. He appears to like a good time, but no more so than the common run of 18 or 20-year-olds of this day and generation.

He's known as a "good guy" to the circle he moves in. He not only puts on no airs. His friends say he's bashful and has something of an inferiority complex.

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IT isn't "young John's" fault that his father's in the White House, but he has to carry the burden of it.

His father has the game as well as the name. He has a tiresome role to play but he gets the emoluments. "Young John's" so much in the public eye that he has to watch his step every waking minute, without a nickel's worth of reward for it.

At his time of life, it's natural for him to want a certain amount of liberty—not license, but the privilege of going and coming more or less to suit himself, without having to give an account of it to the newspapers.

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IF any other college kid had acquired an accidental shiner, for instance, in a little playful bout with the gloves in the gym, with a fellow student, who'd have thought anything about it?

When it happened to "young John" it was smeared all over the front pages.

Another stripling can make himself agreeable to a nice girl, and if anybody comments on it at all, it's only the neighbors.

In "young John's" case it's cabled to Europe.

Ten after 12 isn't so late for anybody but "young John" to get home, after a party, but let "young John" keep such hours and the "presidential spokesman" is called on for explanations.

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IN the first place, "young John" shrinks from publicity.

In the second place, President Coolidge shrinks from it for him still more emphatically.

The elder Coolidge considers the limelight a bad thing for his son. He can't prevent it from being turned on him, but he can blame "young John" for being caught in it.

He doesn't want any "crown prince" talk during his term in the White House. He turns quite purple whenever he hears any of it, and they say "young John" gets the full benefit of the presidential displeasure.

THAT "young John" lot is a hard one may be judged from the fact that Col. E. W. Sparling of the secret service, who was detailed to watch over the former at Amherst, couldn't stand it and asked to be relieved.

If the post of watcher was too much for a hardened secret service man, how much worse must the watched have found it.

Russell C. Wood, who succeeds Sparling after vacation, is supposed to be a better substitute, because he looks like no other man "young John" knows and is supposed to be more low-brow. He remains the weak spot in the young man's game so capture the natural impression.

SPEAKER AND COBB MAY GO INTO COURTS

"Swede" Risberg Says He Could Rock Baseball World with Scandal

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Tris Speaker and Ty Cobb probably will go into the courts in an effort to seek redress from Commissioner K. M. Landis and the American League, according to W. H. Boyd, Speaker's attorney who arrived here from Washington this morning with the two former managers.

"I am going into every legal phase of the situation at Mr. Speaker's request," Boyd said. "If Speaker then decides on such action, I shall represent him in the courts. I do not represent Cobb, but I understand that they will act in unison."

Boyd laughed when told of rumors that Speaker and Cobb might file suit for $1,000,000.

"Not nearly any such sum as that," Boyd declared.

Speaker and Cobb eluded newspapermen upon their arrival, Boyd declaring that he did not know where they had gone, but that they would have no statements to make.

"SWEDE" RISBERG HINTS SCANDAL

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 28—Charles "Swede" Risberg, who played four seasons from 1917 to 1920 as shortstop of the Chicago White Sox and who was involved in the "black sox" scandal of 1919 which shocked the baseball world when it became public the following year, today declared he could make revelations of "crooked baseball" which would startle fandom more deeply than ever and precipitate a diamond scandal which would far eclipse the Cobb-Speaker-Leonard affair.

The "black sox" player, now owns and operates a farm near here and plays independent baseball here and in Montana during the summer.

TO CHANGE LOCATION

Bonnett and Gift Shoppe To Move Quarters

Mrs. Blanche Stansell and Mrs. Daisy E. Lewis of the Bonnett and Gift Shoppe, 140 E. Center-st, have leased the business room located at 120 S. State-st and expect to open a shop known at the L & S Ladies Shop there in the near future. Dresses, hosiery, millinery, toilet articles and novelties will constitute the stock of merchandise.

The business room was formerly occupied by the Marion Electrical Appliance Co.

Hope is the lubricant with which the wheels of life frequently need anointing.

Galoshes

TO KEEP OUT THE SNOW

Ladies' Sliding Buckle $3.95

Ladies' 4-Buckle $2.95

Children's— $1.95 $2.45

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In Floor Toppings
In Brick Mortar
In Stucco Work

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COAL—COKE and BUILDERS' SUPPLIES.

Sole agents.

Behind the Screen

Myrna Loy

This exotic lady got her chance to make a name for herself in the films less than a year ago when it was discovered she could play vamp roles in a different style from that which brought fame to Theda Bara. Now she's taying aside her screen siren ways to act as Monte Blue's leading lady in "Bitter Apples."

FOR three years Jobyna Ralston has played in every Harold Lloyd picture. Now that "The Kid Brother" is completed and her contract has expired, although she has had starring offers from several film companies, she is going to accept a stage engagement. Already, with the comedian's permission, she has appeared in two dramatic offerings while under contract to the Lloyd organization.

Jobyna was picked by Lloyd as his leading lady when Mildred Davis, who likewise played leads with Lloyd for three years, became his wife. Her motion picture experience at the time was limited, being confined largely to several pictures with Max Linder, and featured roles in one reel comedies at the Hal Roach studios.

Before Joby entered the movies she was a featured musical comedy player, and just before coming west to try her luck in pictures she had a prominent role in "Two Little Girls in Blue."

In her last Lloyd comedy Jobyna appears first as a dancing girl in a traveling show, and subsequently, of course, as the target for Lloyd's love.

Lois Moran and her mother have returned from a trip to Europe. Lois is a free lance player now.

There are 10 babies in Hollywood, sons and daughters of film folk, who are enjoying their first holiday season. They are:

Sally Anne Carewe, daughter of Edwin Carewe and Mary Akin Carewe, 9 months.

Marcella Bushman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis X. Bushman, Jr., 11 months.

Barbara Anne Blue, daughter of Monte and Mrs. Blue, 7 months.

Donald Hughes, son of Lloyd and Mrs. Hughes, 5 weeks.

Marie Eugene Reachi, daughter of Manuel Reachi and Agnes Ayres, 8 months.

Carey Anthony Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Wilson, 7 months.

Sidney Earl Chaplin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaplin, 6 months.

Zasu Pitts' name is a combination of two names—she had two doting aunts, Liza and Susan, so Zasu resulted.

Another movie myth has been exploded.

Milton Sills is not a college professor, after all, and never was. Following his graduation from the University of Chicago he took some advanced work eventually becoming a "fellow" in philosophy, preparatory to obtaining a Ph. D. He left college to go on the stage before obtaining that degree.

Percy Marmont offers an interesting opinion that differs from the average when he says one cannot act natural on the screen and attain success. He believes the screen calls for something more than that just as the stage does.

William Collier, Jr., believes he is the "dying-est" juvenile on the screen. He has expired in eight of his fifteen pictures. He passed out in "Heart of Maryland," "Enemies of Women," "Secrets in Paris," "God Gave Me 20 Cents," and in "The Song of the Dragon," which he is now making. Buster dies midway through the picture.

DISTRICT DECLAMATORY EVENT SET FOR SUNDAY

Congressional Contest Will Be Held in Trinity Evangelical Church, Upper Sandusky

The congressional contest in the Prince of Peace declamatory contest, sponsored by the Ohio Council of Churches, will be held at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night at Trinity Evangelical Church, at Upper Sandusky, it was announced today. Plans for the contest were made at a meeting of representatives of the counties in the Eighth Congressional District held yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. Building at Upper Sandusky. Dr. U. S. Davis, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, who was in charge of the contest in Marion County, was in attendance.

Miss Evelyn Bachelder, 153 N. Seltner-av, this city, who entered the county contest from Trinity Baptist Church, and who won the contest here Dec. 9, will represent Marion County in this contest.

Other contestants are Miss Irene Kanode, of Bucyrus, Crawford County; Miss Kathryn King, Mt. Cory, Hancock County; Miss Alice Clapsaddle, Mt. Victory, Hardin County; Miss Arlene Hull, Cardington, Morrow County, and Miss Anna Jane Miller, Nevada, Wyandot County.

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to investigate. An auto was heard driving swiftly away immediately after the killings, he said.

On information furnished by Halterman's story, county officers arrested Satterfield, a former farm hand for the slain man, with whom he was said to have quarreled recently. Certain discrepancies in the story told by Leo Halterman, however, led the sheriff also to place the latter under arrest and he has been grilled almost continuously in the county jail here for the three days.

His confession came early today after Ora Slater, famous Cincinnati detective who solved the Don R. Mellett murder and other mysteries, had been called in. Halterman confessed within a few hours after the arrival of Slater here. County officials grilled Halterman for several hours, while Slater sat in the room as a spectator. Time and again he refused to admit the crimes.

Gets Confession

Eventually, Slater interposed:

"Leo, don't you want to talk to me privately?" he asked quietly, as he walked to the door of another room. Halterman followed and in a few minutes Slater asked for a stenographer to record the confession.

Charles and Leo Halterman rose early the morning of the murder, according to Leo's confession. They had not been on friendly terms, he said, because Charles had told him he was not a fit father for his three-year-old twin boys, who were residing on the farm. This, he said, opened an argument. They scuffled, he said, and he found himself at his brother's back. He had brought the gun along, he said in his confession, at his brother's order as they had been troubled by chicken thieves.

Leo weighs about 120 pounds. His brother weighed about 180 pounds.

"I Pulled Trigger"

"Something flashed across my mind," authorities say he remarked in his confession, "and I pulled the trigger, because he had threatened me."

Then, he said, he saw Charles' wife rushing toward him with a hatchet and when she neared he struck her over the head with the gun.

"I saw she was going to die," he is said to have declared in his story of the tragedy, "and so I clubbed her again. I didn't use the hatchet, though."

Halterman showed no contrition or emotion while reciting the incidents of his brother's death, auditors reported, but when he told of Mrs. Halterman's death, his voice indicated he felt remorseful.

Leo Halterman is the father of three children. The three-year-old twin sons resided with him on his half-brother's farm, while a baby lived with its mother, who was estranged from her husband.

The murdered couple had no children.

COOLIDGE SEES ANOTHER PROSPEROUS YEAR AHEAD

President Declares There Are Few Signs of Economic Depression

Washington, Dec. 28—President Coolidge sees another banner year of prosperity for the United States in 1927.

Except in certain agricultural sections and in a few industries there are no signs of depression on the economic horizon, the presidential spokesman declared today.

Opportunities for employment are increasing, notably in the East and New England; there is an abundant supply of capital and labor; the American habit of spending is aiding production—all these indicate no let-down in prosperity, he said.

It is true that certain agricultural products are not getting fair prices and cotton is off this year, but these can be remedied, the spokesman declared. He pointed out that cotton producers had enjoyed great prosperity for the three years previous to the last and he thought they would well weather the present storm.

MARION BOY ALTERNATE FOR ACADEMY VACANCY

Julius Sabback Honored with Selection by Congressman Brooks Fletcher

Julius Sabback, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sabback, 332 Pearl-st, has been appointed alternate and John Edward Lincoln Hawes of Ada principal to fill a vacancy which will occur in the United States Naval Academy from the Eighth Congressional District of Ohio June 1, 1927. The appointment was recently made by Congressman Brooks Fletcher of this city.

Examinatoion for entrance tests will be held in February and the successful applicant will enter the Academy June 1. Upon entrance to the academy a student acquires the title of midshipman, is educated at government expense and graduated as an officer in the United States Navy.

TO GIVE ADDRESS

J. R. Schute will give an address at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night at the Church of the Brethren, corner of Church-st and Reed-av, it was announced today. Mr. Schute is professor of sociology in Manchester College, North Manchester, Ind., and has spent two summers touring in Europe in the interest of his study.

CINCINNATI DARK

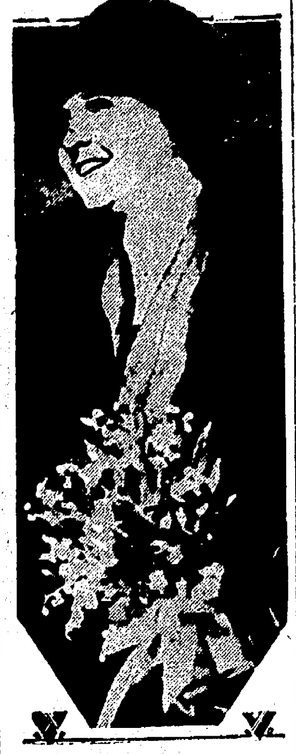
Heavy Clouds and Smoke Force Use of Street, Auto Lights

Cincinnati, Dec. 28—Heavy clouds and smoke pitched Cincinnati into midnight darkness shortly after 10 o'clock this morning.

Street lights were turned on and automobiles were forced to run with beaming headlights.

United States Meteorologist W. G. Devereaux announced that exceptionally heavy clouds caused the phenomenon which lasted for nearly an hour.

Contract Destroyed So Singer Can Earn More



Marion Talley

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—Metropolitan Opera officials have paid rare homage to Marion Talley, youthful Kansas City singer, by voluntarily tearing up her old contract, which called for a much larger salary than is usually paid to new singers. They have given her another contract for a still larger sum in recognition of her vocal ability and her popularity. In addition, Miss Talley earns $3,000 to $5,500 a concert while on tour.

One of the few singers to have been treated in this manner is Mme. Schumann-Heink who was brought here from Germany to sing for $50 a performance. Realizing the magnificence of her voice and her appeal to audiences, Maurice Grau, impresario, placed her on a par with the stars of the company and before the end of her engagement he was paying her ten times more than he had originally agreed.

It was five or six years ago that Kansas City folk first became interested in Marion Talley. She first attracted attention when, at the age of 15 she sang in "Mignon" and "The Bohemian Girl," at the Kansas City Civic Opera.

Various business men and Mrs. M. K. Powell, at that time music critic of the Kansas City Star, realizing that Marion possessed a remarkable voice, arranged for a concert for which citizens paid as high as $100 for the privilege of listening to her. Receipts amounted to $10,000 and Marion immediately departed for New York with her mother.

She was given an audition before a critical audience and her voice filled the auditorium although she was only a child. Gatti-Casazza, Metropolitan general-director, advised that she go to Italy for study. In 1924 with her mother and sister, Marion arrived in Milan. She studied with many vocal teachers and also mastered several foreign languages so she would not be handicapped in singing operatic roles.

When Gatti-Casazza heard her again in July, 1925, he gave her a Metropolitan contract and she made her debut last February.

SCENIC MOTIF IS USED IN PRINTED CREPE DRESS, HAT

A scenic motif is used in the printed crepe dress and hat pictured. The designer of the material used the famous Garden of the Gods, Col., as his inspiration.

A solid color material is combined with this colorful fabric, a banding of the plain goods being used to edge the front bordering on the set-in panel of the bodice. The skirt panel is also made of this plain color material and also the simple cuff bandings.

The frock was designed primarily for resort wear.

SLAYER IS GUARDED

Prisoner Declares He Murdered Wom and Children Three Years Ago

Farwell, Texas, Dec. 28—Extra guards were placed around the jail here today as a result of the latest statement by George J. Hassell, admitted slayer of his wife and eight step-children.

Efforts were being made to check details of the statement with California authorities.

After admitting he beat, choked and shot to death his wife and children, Hassell last night told of killing a woman and three children in California three years ago. He refused to give the name of the woman or the place where the killings are alleged to have occurred.

age systematically instructed in physical exercise, with the result that at maturity they are almost as strong as the men. It is not an unusual sight to see a company of young girls, who are strolling along a country road, step back a few yards for headway, and then, following a leader, all nimbly clear a five-foot fence by leaping over it.

The discovery of a statue of Minerva during recent excavations in Rome has revealed that the accordion-pleated jumper suit was known to women in early Grecian days. The statute, a beautiful transparaent alabaster, has the silhouette of a new model of a jumper dress. There are pleats in the skirt, and the upper part is beautifully decorated with painted embroidery.

Liberality increases the value of riches.

Mrs. D. E. P. Easton, San Francisco civic and club leader, has the distinction of being the first woman speaker at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. At a recent meeting of the Western Division of that organization in Colorado Springs Mrs. Easton told what is being done by clubwomen in California to promote safer traffic.

BURGLARY ATTEMPT ON POOLROOM FRUSTRATED

Vandals Bore Augur Holes Around Lock of Abel & Wroten Parlors

An attempt to burglarize the Abel & Wroten pool-room and cigar store, located in the basement of the National City Bank & Trust Co., building at Center and Main-sts was frustrated early this morning just as the job was about to be completed.

The burglar, evidently equipped with a carpenter's auger, had drilled 16 one-inch holes around the lock of the pool-room door and would have had little trouble in effecting an entrance. He is believed to have been frightened away when he heard Louis Musselman, janitor of the bank, at work on the floor above. Mr. Musselman arrived at the bank shortly before 4 o'clock and a few minutes later heard the Center-st door leading into the basement open and close.

Discovered by Boy

The fact that a burglary had been attempted was not discovered, however, until a boy who assists Mr. Musselman went to the basement to do the pool-room janitor work. At the foot of the Center-st stairway leading to the Abel & Wroten place he found a pile of shavings covering the landing as a consequence of the burglar's operations.

It is believed that the man operating the auger had an assistant who acted as a lookout at the Center-st entrance, as he probably worked for an hour or more in his efforts to remove the lock.

Today it was necessary for Abel & Wroten to send the door to a local lumber mill for repairs.

WEATHERMAN PROMISES RELIEF FROM DRIZZLE

Drop in Temperature Will Change Rain to Snow. Prediction

Relief from the gloomy drizzle that started in Marion this morning is promised for tonight by the weatherman, with the arrival of another cold wave from the west. The temperature is scheduled to drop several degrees this afternoon changing the rain to snow.

Partly cloudy Wednesday, with the colder weather hanging on is the forecast for tomorrow. Eastern Ohio will feel the bite of the cold wave more than the western portion, the forecast stated.

Temperatures last night marked a big change from a year ago today. The mercury last night dropped to 30 degrees above. A year ago the thermometers were registering below zero with an official record of one below. The highest temperature a year ago was 13 degrees above. The entire country was swept by below zero weather during the holiday season last year. There was about the same amount of snow last year as this, but the temperature hovered around the 30 degree mark this year, while last it was near the zero mark for the holidays.

The rage for calfskin has spread so that a velvet has been designed to imitate the skins. A frock of this material on display is a London shop was developed in black and white and had a kid belt.

Few friends has the rooster. He has provoked the world's enmity not only by his untimely crowing, but by his swaggering self-conceit coupled with utter cowardice.

Miss Ethel Hilton, Galveston girl lawyer, has been appointed assistant attorney-general of Texas.

APPLICATION FOR DOG TAGS BELOW AVERAGE

894 Licenses Issued This Year; More Than 3,000 Last Year

Dog license applications are far behind other years a comparison of the records in the county auditor's office shows. So far this year only 894 dogs have been licensed, while in other years the number was hundreds ahead of this.

More than 3,000 dogs were licensed in the county during this year. Only one-third of this number have been licensed so far for next year.

"Women should have finished their shopping now," said Auditor-elect Earl Thomas today, "and the men should have a few dollars left over to pay the dog license, if they expect to keep their dog during 1927.

"Regular rates in dog tag prices will become bargain rates after the first of the year," Thomas said, "and the bargains will be all gone. Dog licenses now cost $1 and $3 but after the sheriff and the county commissioners fix the deadline for buying licenses the price goes up to $2 and $4. Besides this increase the owner takes a chance on being fined up to $25 and costs if the dog is caught without a license, and the owner is arrested."

The county treasury is going to need the money from the dog licenses, from all indications. The dog tax money goes into the dog and kennel fund to pay claims of farmers for sheep killed during the year. With about $600 in the found, after settling the first batch of claims, the county commissioners are faced with paying more than $1,000 in sheep claims, filed after the first settlement. To fill up this hole in the treasury the county will have to put the pressure on the dog owners, it is believed, and get in all the dog fees possible.

WILLIAM H. BAUGHMAN FUNERAL SERVICES HELD

Rites Are Conducted in LaRue Baptist Church; Burial at LaRue

Funeral services for William H. Baughman, 83, who died at 9:15 o'clock Saturday night at the home of his son, E. C. Baughman, 681 Sugar-st were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Baptist Church at LaRue, Rev. Mr. Bartlett officiated and services were followed by interment in the LaRue Cemetery.

Mr. Baughman died of the infirmities of age. He was born Sept. 18, 1843, near Marysville, and had resided on a farm until two years ago when he came to Marion to reside with his son, E. C. Baughman. Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Jemina Baughman, four daughters, Mrs. William Kindell, of near Mt. Victory; Mrs. George Weist, of near Hepburn; Mrs. O. L. Dusang, Gill-av, and Mrs. Dow Bates, Fies-av, this city; and three sons, Mayne Baughman, of Muskegon, Mich.; J. W. Baughman, of near Marysville, and E. C. Baughman, this city.

LEGAL BATTLE OPENS

Judge Killits Hears Motion To Quash Goodyear Rubber Case

Toledo, Dec. 28—The first stage of a legal battle instituted by minority stockholders in an effort to wrest control of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. from F. A. Sieberling began here today when Federal Judge John M. Killits listened to a motion to quash the case on the grounds of non-jurisdiction.

Attorneys for the defense argued that Mrs. Katherine G. Benedict, of New York, in whose name the action was brought, had become a stockholder only one hour before the suit was filed, Dec. 9, and claimed collusion on the part of various stockholders.

Counsel for the plaintiff charged that Sieberling is a stockholder of several rubber companies, in violation of the Clayton act and that any federal court had jurisdiction.

REFUND OF $1,216 MADE ON MRS. HARDING ESTATE

Refund on taxes paid the government from the estate of Mrs. Florence Kling Harding was made today by the treasury department, according to advices from Washington. The refund was one of many made to estates and individuals throughout the country. The refund is made through the executor of Mrs. Harding's estate, Harry J. Merchant, and amounts to $1,216.

133 LIQUOR DEATHS

Cleveland Coroner Reveals Figures Setting New Record

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Poisoned liquor caused the deaths of 133 persons in Cleveland during 1926, according to figures announced today by Coroner A. P. Hammond.

This is the greatest number in history, 1925 holding the previous high record with 121. Hammond pointed out that there has not been a prosecution under the Bender poison booze law.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Sinden, 451 Lee-st, are parents of a son, Gene Hudson Sinden, born this morning.

Announcement was made today of the birth of a son, Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner, 375 Fahey-st. He has been named Robert Eugene.

ILL OF GRIP

Mr. and Mrs. William Perego, Davids-st are ill of grip at their home, it was reported today.

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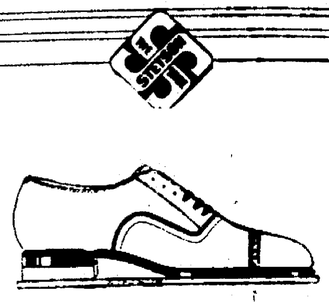

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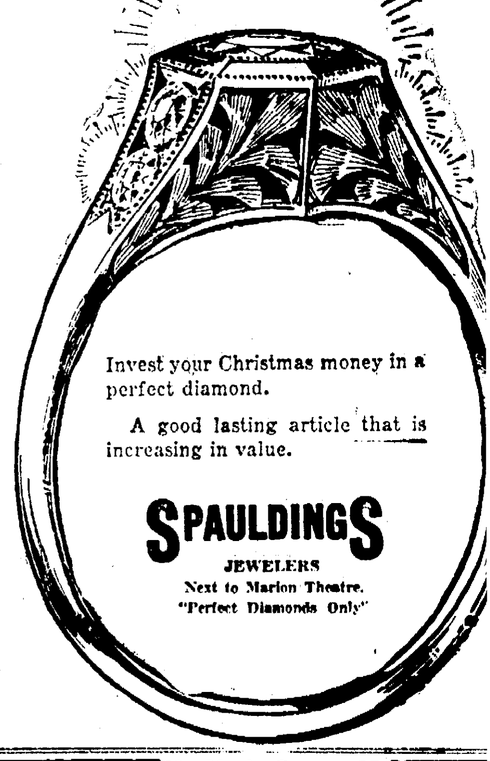

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BUTLER COUNTY DEPUTY FACES STATE CHARGES

Examiner's Report Accuses Dick of Converting Collections to Own Use

Columbus, Dec. 28—The charge that [illegible] Dick, deputy Butler County auditor, not only converted to his personal use collections that he did not show as on hand, or collected by the [illegible] and summaries of his cash [illegible] but also used at least a large part of [illegible] instance he showed by his cash [illegible] from day to day as being in the [illegible]" is contained in a report [illegible] here today by State Auditor [illegible].

The report covered the final examination by State Examiner Frank Thomas, of the Miami Conservancy District collection of assessments in Butler County. Thomas' report dealt with the period from Sept. 1, 1925, to Oct. 16, last, [illegible] according to Thomas' report, collected those assessments for the county treasurer in Butler County. The final examination, according to Thomas, verified a former holding that a net discrepancy of $2,209.38 was chargeable against Dick.

The report credited Dick with paying in this money Oct. 13, last.

Used Warrant, Claim

Thomas, in his report, asserted that a discrepancy chargeable against Dick on April 7, last, amounted to $4,372.78, of which amount Dick, he said, paid back $4,215.69 by deposits after that date and the remainder, $157.10, on Oct. 12, last. Dick was accused, in Thomas' report, of using a warrant from the back of a warrant book as a substitute for the original warrant No. 49 for $190,273.91 issued by the Butler County auditor on April 7, last, payable to Ezra M. Kuhns, secretary-treasurer of the Miami Conservancy District.

The report further claimed that Dick abstracted public funds, collected by him "at practically all times" during the period covered by the report, "and that he was covering his withdrawals by dropping cash book footings, or entering lesser amounts as daily footings than the items actually footed."

The total amount that Dick should have had on hand on the night of Jan. 25, last, when, it was stated, the Butler County treasury was robbed, was $5,212.88 according to Thomas instead of $2,512.96. Claim has been made that $1,828.81 of the $2,512.96 was stolen on the night of the robbery.

PETTING IS TOPIC

College Youth of America Open Conference Today

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 28—Questions pertaining to flaming youth will be discarded for those touching on the more serious phases of life when 3,000 college students meet here this week for a general student conference sponsored by the national councils of the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A.

According to A. R. Elliott of New York, he is in charge of arrangements, the conference has been called for the "purpose of creating a higher idealism as a goal for the youth of America." Petting and other questions of its kind will be discussed at the conference which began Tuesday, Elliott said, "But they will be discussed only in a constructive sense."

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Syrian Shrine Chorus

WILL BROADCAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT

to Headline KDKA Bill

The Syrian Shrine Chorus will headline the radio bill at KDKA, Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. This group of entertainers is always welcome to the radio fan.

The Stainbrook double quartet is booked for the Neil House Hour of music from WEAO, Columbus, at 8:15, Wednesday night.

The Montreal Philharmonic Orchestra will be heard from CRNM, Montreal, at 8:30, Wednesday night.

At 8:15, Wednesday night WMAK, Buffalo, will broadcast the program of the Rochester Opera Company.

Rudolfo Hoyos, considered the foremost Mexican baritone of the present day, makes his radio debut when he sings before WEAF'S microphone at New York, at 8:15, Wednesday night. He will be followed by the Davis Sax Octet at 9 o'clock with the Troubadours coming on the air an hour later.

SILENT STATIONS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

CENTRAL — KLDS, KFKN, WCBD, WFAA, WMC, WOI, WEAP, WOW, WSM.

EASTERN — WAIU, WBBR, WFI, WHAZ, WHAR, WGBS, WIP, WREO, WRAL, WPG, WTIC.

FAR WEST—KPSN, KOAC.

The Maxwell Coffee Hour will open at 9 o'clock, Wednesday night, from WJZ, New York, WGY, Schenectady, and WRC, Washington. The Maxwell Concert Orchestra will provide the entertainment.

A quartet of Spanish string instruments will be heard from WJZ, New York, at 10:15, Wednesday night.

The "Pink of Programs" will be transmitted from WLW, Cincinnati, at 10:10, Wednesday night, followed by an hour of organ music by Johana Gresse.

Little Jack Little will take a place before the microphone of WOC Davenport, at 10:30, Wednesday night, and will hold his position for a half hour of popular selections.

At 10:15, Wednesday night, KOA, Denver, will broadcast a Kiwanis Club program.

6:00 p. m. WAIU, Studio. WBBM, Concert, WCAE, Concert. WCX Concert; Solos. WEAF, Dinner Music. WEEI, Events; Orchestra. WGBS, Uncle Geebee; Orchestra. WGHP, Dinner Concert. WREO, Concert. WTAM, Serenaders. WWJ, Dinner Concert.

6:15 p. m. WCCO, Children's Hour; Markets. KDKA, Concert. WBZ, Ensemble; Mirth Makers. WGY, Book of Knowledge. WMAQ, Topsy Turvy Time. WOR, Jacobs' Ensemble; Sports.

6:30 p. m. KFAB, Orchestra. KPRC, Kidies' Hour. WGR, Pianos. WKRC, Childrens' Story. WMCA, Orchestra.

6:45 p. m. WOC, Chimes; Sports. WEEI, Big Brother. WGY, Agriculture Forum to WMAK, WJJD, Concert. WRC, Talk.

6:50 p. m. WLW, Civil Serivce; Orchestra.

7:00 p. m. CJGC, Markets. KYW, Music Hour; Uncle Bob. KMOX, Dinner Music. WAAM, Sports Talk; Music. WBZ, Concert. WCFL, Talks; Bulletins. WDAF, "School of the Air." WEAF, Synagogue Service. WENR, Organ. WGHB, Dinner Music. WHAD, Markets; Organ. WHK, Orchestra. WHO, Symphony and Dixie Tenor. WHT, Markets; Organ. WIP, Uncle Wip. WJZ, Orchestra. WJR, Symphony. WLS, Supperbell Program.

7:15 p. m. WGN, Uncle Walt; Concert. WBZ, Aunt Sammy; Nature League. WTAM, Talks. WSAI, Chimes.

7:30 p. m. WCAE, Uncle Kaybee. WCAU, Male Quartet. WEEI, Copely Players; Songs. WEAF, Band. WJAR, WRC, WSAI, WTAM, WHN, Organ. WMCA, Radio Franks. WLW, Farm Talk; Orchestra. WOC, Voss Vagabonds. WOR, Orchestra. WQO, Dinner Program. WYNC, Talk; Piano Twins. WRNY, Roosevelt Orchestra.

8:00 p. m., KFNF, Concert. KDKA, Concert. KYW, Family Hour. WBZ, Vocal & Instrumental. WCAU, Orchestra; Talk. WCX, Studio. WEAF, "Political Situation"; to WJAR, WRC, WCSH, WEBH, Orchestra; Vocal. WEBJ, Dance Music; Entertainers. WFDF, Music. WGHP, Light Opera. WJZ, Imperial Imps. WKRC, Books; Orchestra. WRVA Markets; Violin. WRNY, Studio. WQJ, Sacred Songs. WSAI, Artists Series. WTAM, Auditorium Program. WWJ, Musical Program.

8:15 p. m. WGN, Paul Ash's Show. WEAF, Salon Concert to WJAR, WGY, Rochester Opera Co to WMAK.

8:30 p. m. KPRC, Orchestra. WCCO, Farm Talk; Vocal. WCAU, Vocal; Violin. WEAF, Saxophone Octet, also WRC, WEEI, WCAE, WLIT, WJAR, WSAI, WGR, WCSH. WGHB, Open House Program. WGHP, Symphony. WHAS, Italian American Club. WJZ, Watch Hour. WOO, Music.

8:40 p. m. WLS, Scenes "Merchant of Venice."

8:45 p. m. WHO, Orchestra. WRVA, Symphony. WRNY, Pianist; Opera Scene.

9:00 p. m. KMOX, Quartet. KPRC, "Whozit;" Concert. WBBM, Travel Time. "Valley of the Kings." WDAF, Band and Glee Club. WEAF, Ipana Hour, also WEEI, KSD, WGR, WRC, WCCO, WLIB, WCAE, WSAI WWJ. WEAO, Quartet. WCX, Code Lessons. WHK, Quartet. WHN, Varied Program. WJJD, Studio. WJZ Maxwell Hour to WBZ, KDKA, WJAR, Music; Talk. WJR, Studio. WKRC, Everfresh Hour. WLS, Musicians Club. WLIT "Theater." WOS, Talk; Music. WOK, Stage and Orchestra. WOR, Studio Guild Hour. WTAG, Entertainers.

9:30 p. m. KFAB, Orchestra; Harmony Boys. WABC, Songs. KOA, Sandman. WCAE, Concert WCCO, String Music. WEAF, Musicale to WEEI, WGR, KSD, WWJ, WGHP, Instrumental. WHO, Musicale. WMBB, Popular. WLS, Apollo Club. WMCA, Varied Program. WRC, Announced WSMB, Concert. WSAI, Accordion Duets. WTAG, Announced.

9:45 p. m. WGN, Arabian Nights Entertainment.

10:00 p. m. KYW, Classical. KDKA, R. V. D. Trio. KMA, Music. KOA, Instrumental. WEAF, Smith Bros. to WGR, WCAE, WTAG, WDAF, WCCO, WOC, KSD, WRC, WSAI, WWJ. WBBH, Orchestra; Songs. WEEI, Orchestra. WGY, Syracuse Program to WMAK. WHN, Dance Music; Songs. WHK, Melody Masters. WIL, Vaudeville. WJZ, Announced.

10:00 p. m., WJAZ, Orchestra; Entertainers. WLW, Trio. WLIT, Dance Music. WRNY, Sea Beveridge.

10:15 p. m., KOA, Kiwanis Club. WOR, Concert Trio.

10:30 p. m., KPRC, Frank Tilton, Pianist. WEAF, Opera to WCAE, WRC, WGHB, Dance Music. WJZ Orchestra. WLS, Vocal; Dance Music. WMAQ, Tenor. WOC, Organ; Jack Little. WSAI, Piano; Orchestra.

10:45 p. m., KTHS, Frolic.

11:00 p. m., KPO, Atwater Kent Artists. KFI, Music. WAAM, Dance Music. KGO, Varied. WCAU, Cheer-up Club. WGN, Sam & Henry; Songs. WJJD, Victorians; Features. WJR Music. WLW, Organ; "Whozit". WMCA, 7-11 Club; Songs. WOR, Messner Bros. WQJ, Entertainers; Orchestra. WRNY, The Circus. WTAM, Royal Canadians.

11:30 p. m. KYW, Carnival. WCAE, Music. WCCO, Dance Music. WEAF, Orchestra. WGN, Pepper Party. WHAD, Music.

11:45 p. m. WSB, Concert. WHB, Musicale.

12:00 p. m. KFI, Vocal. KPO, Music. KPRC, Request Program. KFNF, Frolic. KGW, Entertainment. KLX, Special Program. WCFL, Entertainers. WHT, Your Hour League. WKRC, Popular. WMCA, Entertainers. WJR, Jewett Jesters.

12:30 m. WCCO, Organ Recital. WHAD, Organ Recital.

12:45 m. WDAF, Nighthawk Frolic.

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KLDS	Independence, Mo.	441
KMA	Shenandoah, Ia.	461
KPRC	Houston, Tex.	296.9
KFI	Los Angeles	467
KFNF	Shenandoah, Ia.	461
KFH	Wichita, Kans.	263
KGO	Oakland, Calif.	361.2
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KLX	Oakland, Calif.	508.2
KMOX	St. Louis, Mo.	280.2
KNX	Hollywood, Calif.	337
KOA	Denver, Colo.	322.4
KPO	San Francisco	428.3
KSD	St. Louis	545.1
KTHS	Hot Springs, Ark.	374.8
KYW	Chicago	536
WAIU	Columbus, O.	293.9
WAHG	Richmond Hill, L. I.	315.6
WBAP	Fort Worth	475.9
WBBM	Chicago	226
WBZ	Springfield, Mass.	333
WCAE	Pittsburgh, Pa.	461.3
WCCO	Minneapolis-St. Paul	416.4
WCX	Detroit	517
WEAF	New York	492
WEBH	Chicago	370.2
WEBJ	New York	272.6
WEEI	Boston, Mass.	348.6
WFI	Philadelphia	394.5
WGBF	Evansville, Ind.	238
WGHP	Detroit, Mich.	270
WGBS	New York, N. Y.	315.6
WGN	Chicago	303
WGY	Schenectady	379.5
WHAR	Atlantic City	275
WHAS	Louisville	399.8
WHB	Kansas City, Mo.	365.6
WHN	New York	361.2
WHT	Chicago	400
WIL	St. Louis, Mo.	273
WIP	Philadelphia	508.2
WJAR	Providence	305.9
WJAZ	Chicago	32.5
WJZ	New York	454.3
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WSAI	Cincinnati	326
WSB	Atlanta, Ga.	428.3
WSOE	Milwaukee	246
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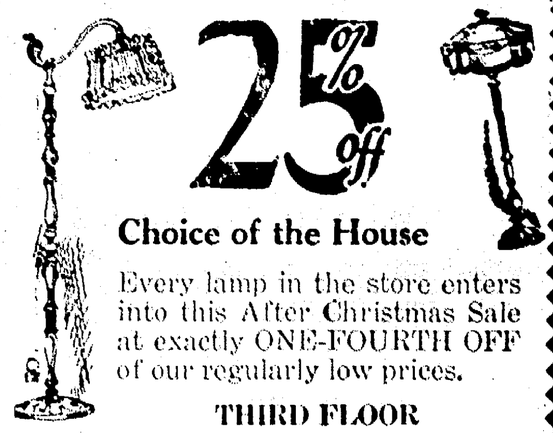

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PHONE COMPANY SALE COMPLETE, OFFICIAL SAYS

Transfer of Ownership Assured; Purchasers Pleased with Accounting

Preliminary formalities leading up to sale of the Marion County Telephone Co. property to the United Telephone Co. of Chicago have been concluded and transfer of ownership is assured, Fred E. Guthery, president of the local company, stated today.

Certainty that the deal will be definitely closed within a few weeks follows reports of auditors who have been checking the records of the company here. These accountants completed their work last week and at the same time attorneys representing the United Telephone Co. finished their survey of the legal phases of the purchase negotiations.

Reports Approved

Reports of both the auditors and attorneys were in every way satisfactory to the purchasing company and paved the way for final and closing details of the sale.

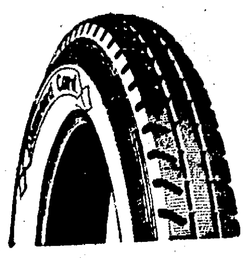
In their statement the auditors complimented the local concern highly for its system of accounting, pronouncing it one of the best that had ever come under their supervision. The amount of stock called for under terms of the original contract has been forwarded to the Chicago company's main office and payment is expected within the next week. This transaction will give the United Co. controlling interest. Deposit of additional stock at the Marion National Bank, which has acted as fiscal agent throughout the negotiations, will continue and it is expected that before January 31 all of the shares will be transferred.

Negotiations for the sale began several weeks ago and culminated in directors of the Marion County Telephone Co. agreeing to deliver a majority of the stock to the prospective purchaser. It was provided, however, that consummation of the deal should depend upon the results of a check of the records to be made by the United Company's auditors and the findings of its attorneys. Although there was at no time more than slight possibility that these surveys might result in a change of plans, the sale was not regarded as absolutely assured until the formal reports were filed.

Transfer Certain

While the transfer of ownership is now certain to transpire soon, there will be no change in the management, the United Telephone Co. has announced. This indicates that Arthur J. Berry, who has served as manager of the Marion County Telephone Co. during the last 19 years, will continue in that capacity. The remainder of the office and executive corps will also continue unchanged.

There is probability, however, that the United Telephone Co. will proceed with an improvement and expansion program which may mean extension of its service lines into new territory. While this is little more than conjecture, it is based upon reports of policies adopted by the company in connection with properties which it had acquired in other communities.



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Doubt Over Smith Outcome Due to Blocs, Says Stewart

Correspondent Recalls Days When Congress Was "A Nice Twosome"

BY CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—Participants in the current winter's session of congressional "cut throat draw" have played the game close to their stomachs—as gamblers express it, though with slightly less anatomical delicacy—thus far.

FRANK L. SMITH

During December they were feeling one another out, sizing one another up, calculating their chances and counting their chips.

These preliminaries over, they may be expected to cut loose directly after the holiday recess, and wade right in to win. The session ends March 4, so the cards will have to fall fast.

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TIME was when the congressional game was a twosome—two big parties and generally no more. If a third group did, now and then, break in and draw cards for a few deals, it was in the pee-wee class and neither counted for much nor lasted long.

Today the whole thing is cut up into cliques—"blocs," they call 'em—so that it's hard to tell how anything will come out.

These blocs form constantly changing combinations.

The corn belt bloc, the cotton belt bloc, the wet bloc, the dry bloc, the conservative bloc, the progressive bloc, the protection bloc, the tariff reduction bloc, the fundamentalist bloc, the liberal bloc—blocs, blocs, blocs, ever shifting and changing their arrangement and alignments.

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TAKE, as an illustration, the case of Frank L. Smith's disputed Illinois seat in the United States senate.

Smith's a Republican. There are more Republicans than Democrats in the senate. So will Smith be seated? Not necessarily. The Republican progressive bloc intends to vote against him. Will that beat him? Not necessarily. The Democratic states' rights bloc intends to vote in his favor.

How can anybody make any sense out of such a hodge-podge?

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THE congressional blocs will get regularly down to their game of "cut throat draw," for blood, early in January.

The game's scheduled to stop March 4, yes. But who ever saw a loser willing to stop according to schedule? March 4 will find most of the blocs losers. That is to say, the legislation they're variously clamoring for will remain unenacted.

There's just one way in which they can keep the game going—in other words, force an extra session.

That way is to combine to prevent the administration bloc from getting President Coolidge's appropriation bills passed. If that happens, an extra session's a certainty and the game will go on indefinitely.

What's more, it's the most approved method of playing "cut throat."

LLEWELLYN FUNERAL

Services To Be Held Wednesday Afternoon

Funeral services for Nathan W. Llewellyn who died yesterday noon at the home of his nephew, W. C. Llewellyn, 482 E. Mark-st, will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the C. E. Curtis and Co., Funeral Home, E. Center-st, in charge of Dr. B. L. George, pastor of Epworth M. E. Church. Burial will be made in the Waldo Cemetery, in the neighborhood of the place where Mr. Llewellyn was born. He died following a two-hours' illness of heart trouble.

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The Cadillac sedan used by the band of burglars who entered the Sinclair Oil Co. office on Silver-st Friday night has been returned to its owner, J. G. Hornutt of Gibsonburg, from whom it was stolen four days prior to the night of the burglary. The machine was confiscated by local police when they were called to the Sinclair office about midnight Friday and captured two men alleged to have been members of the robber band. Four others believed to have been involved in the burglary escaped.

The two suspects captured are Fred C. Williams and Elery Jereou, both of Toledo. They pleaded not guilty before Mayor Earl M. Hazen yesterday and were bound over to the grand jury under $10,000 bonds.

Hornutt came here yesterday and took possession of the automobile after furnishing absolute proof of ownership. He was accompanied here by the Gibsonburg marshal.

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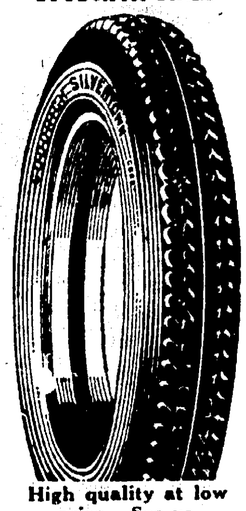

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NAMES DRAWN FOR GRAND AND PETIT JURIES

Five Women Selected In Each Panel; To Report Jan. 10 and 17

Names of men and women of Marion county who will make up the grand and petit juries for the January term of Common Pleas Court were drawn yesterday by Sheriff James A. Lowe and Clerk of Courts Harley E. Knox.

The grand jury will report to Judge Byron B. Scofield on Jan. 10, and the petit jury a week later, Jan. 17. The grand jury session will occupy the first part of the week of Jan. 10, the indicted cases will probably be given preliminary hearing shortly after the grand jury session and the hearing of cases will get under way the beginning of week Jan. 17.

Five women have been called to serve on the grand jury and five others have been called in the first panel of the petit jury. Twenty names make up the first petit jury panel.

Grand Jury

Those called for duty on the grand jury include: A. A. Parish, Marion R. F. D., W. E. Wynn, Prospect, J. Henry Rozaman, Morral R. F. D. No. 1, Charles Unsapher, Marion R. F. D. No. 3, F. W. Anderson, 208 Forest-st, Mrs. Pauline Ackerman, 342 S. State-st, F. K. Morral, Marion, R. F. D. No. 3, J. W. Artz, 190 Bellevue-av, Mrs. Faye Mouser, 419 E. Church-st, Mrs. Maude O. Thomas, 458 E. Church-st, Mrs. Grace B. Elliott, 186½ E. Center-st, John Abel, 213 Wildwood-et, Mrs. Villa C. Neidhart, 223 S. State-st, D. C. Allmendinger, Marion R. D., J. W. Carey, Agosta, R. F. D. No. 2.

Petit Jurors

The first panel of petit jurors drawn includes:

J. B. Brockelsby, Caledonia, R. F. D. No. 3, David Gompf, Cardington, R. F. D. No. 3, Harry H. Adams, 621 Ballentine-av, Mrs. Mary H. Rapp, 213 S. Greenwood-av, Mrs. Grace Nippert, 283 Willow-st, Mrs. Amelia B. Stair, 422 E. Center-st, S. D. Smith, Prospect, H. V. Smith, Morral R. F. D., Mrs. Mayme K. Davidson, 610 Pearl-st, Wilbur Sivey, Prospect, Otis Boyd, La Rue, C. W. Anderson, Meeker Henry Baldinger, Martel, John Firstenberger, Marion R. F. D. No. 1, A. O. Rhoads, Marion, R. F. D., Claude Cates, Agosta, R. F. D. No. 1, Mrs. Myrtle P. Kramer, 461 S. State-st, C. H. Artz, Agosta, R. F. D., Sherman Imbody, Agosta, R. F. D. No. 2, Mike Rider, Prospect, R. F. D.

CITY SETTLES CLAIM BROUGHT BY EARL J. LEE

Pays $1,900 for Property Used for Trunk Line Sewer Construction

Agreement to settle litigation which began four years ago as a result of condemnation of land for construction of Marion's sewage treatment plant and new sanitary trunk line sewer was reached by City Council, last night, when a resolution was adopted providing for payment of $1,900 to Earl J. Lee, one of the land owners.

The trunk line sewer crosses a section of Mr. Lee's land, west of the city, and the pipes are above ground over most of the course. Mr. Lee asked for $2,500 as compensation for damages and use of his property but finally agreed to take $1,900.

The terms of settlement were decided upon yesterday afternoon at a conference between City Solicitor Grant E. Mouser, Jr., and George T. Geran, who will succeed Mr. Mouser as solicitor next month. The negotiations were consummated when Council formally approved the agreement last night.

Total $24,000

This makes a total of more than $24,000 that the city will spend for land used in construction of the sewage plant and sanitary sewer line. In the original condemnation proceeding, started in Common Pleas Court on Aug. 24, 1922, a jury awarded Byron Wilson and Maud M. Wilson, his wife, $22,000 for ground used as the sewage plant site. This price was accepted by the Wilsons but Mr. Lee refused to accept $896 awarded him by the jury. He carried the case to the Court of Appeals, where the Common Pleas Court decision was reversed. The Appellate Court ruled that the Common Pleas Court had erred in failing to charge the jury to consider future damages likely to result from construction of the sewer on Mr. Lee's land.

Fair Claim

Members of Council expressed the opinion that the $1,900 settlement is fair to the city and the resolution was adopted without a dissenting vote. As a result, the litigation will be formally closed within a few days. Mr. Lee and his attorney had planned to resume proceedings in the Common Pleas Court had the negotiations for a settlement failed to reach a satisfactory conclusion.

A small judgment was also awarded the Erie Railroad Co. in the original condemnation suit, running the total cost of the land to a figure in excess of $24,000.

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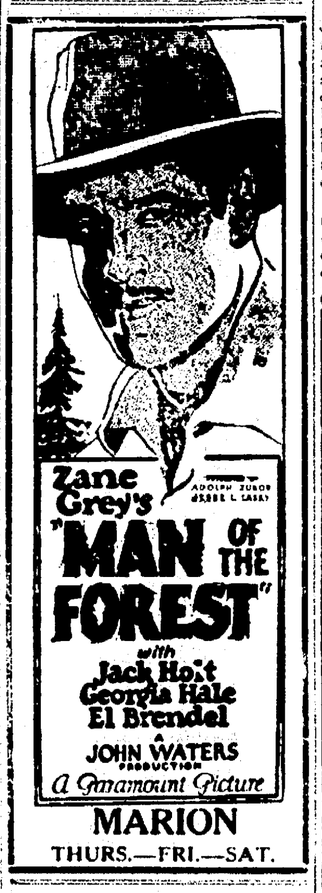

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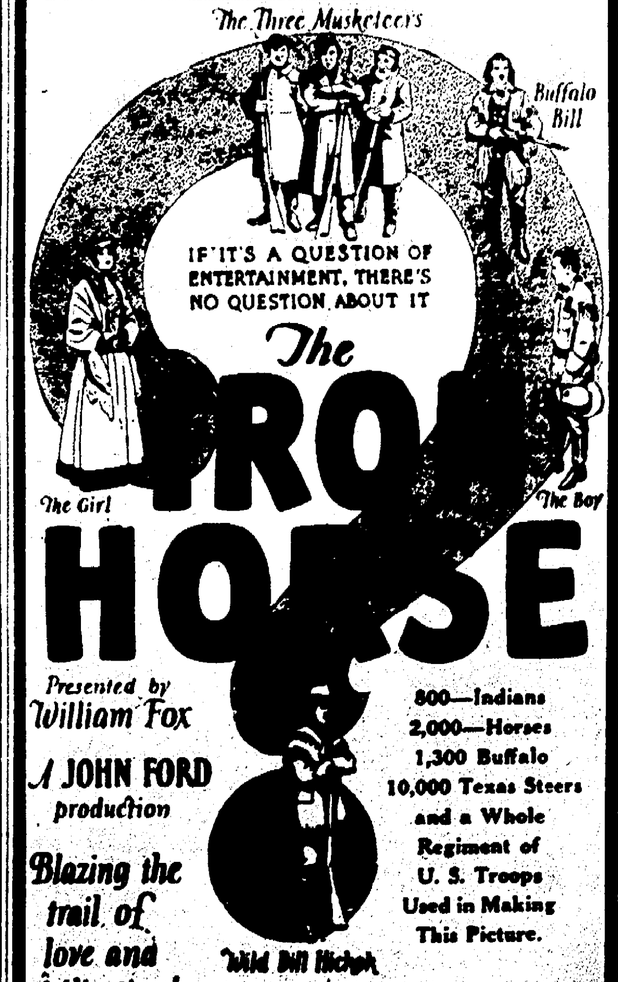

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Daily Proverb—"Avarice is the basest and most selfish of human passions."

Still, let us not be unduly harsh with Senator Heflin. Very possibly he is talking right up to the limit of his understanding.

For the first time in his life, David Lloyd George recently viewed a movie. We always knew there was something queer about Dave.

The gifts having been exchanged and the last of the turkey hash consumed, we may now give our undivided attention to framing a program for a happy and prosperous new year.

Still it's no more than fair to remember that the lives the movie people depict upon the screen are seldom such as to educate them for participation in the highest degree of domestic bliss.

It was the jury's business to decide as to the guilt or innocence of Pat McDermott, not ours, but it may be said that his manner upon the witness stand indicated a disposition which could easily be associated with crime.

The moral which the politicians will probably draw from the case of Mr. Vare and Mr. Smith is that aspirants for senatorial togas should insist upon a delivery of the goods in all cases before paying over the mazuma.

Queen Marie has said a lot of nice things since she left us about America and Americans, and she might even say something complimentary about those spats—were she able to do so without laughing.

A Washington paper hints that it is not wholly improbable that Nick Longworth may be groomed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency. Great Scott! What does it imagine Alice has been doing all these years?

Perhaps no better line on the feeling of the general herd toward the city ordinances and us true aristocrats of the land may be had than the practice so common to its members of shoveling the snow off the walk from their front doors to the curb, where they take their cars, and leaving the sidewalks snowbound.

Who knows? If Japan hadn't gotten a lot of territory in exchange for the money she expended in the Great war, Mr. Kipling might have made her also the subject of a poem of hate.

"Prohibition is a peculiar thing," remarks the Cincinnati Enquirer. "One must support it and then pay the prices that rise into the air from that support." We have here, it may be said, a far too common conception of what support of prohibition means. It's this kind of support throughout the country which renders enforcement next to impossible and augments the flood of crime which we are suffering.

Hirohito Already Emperor.

It would be difficult to figure out a probability of any marked political changes as a result of the death of Emperor Yoshihito, of Japan, and the taking over of the crown by his eldest son, Hirohito, as the 124th emperor of Japan. Yoshihito took the throne at the age of thirty-three in 1912, but owing to illness of a mental nature which made the continuous discharge of the duties of the crown impossible, he retired as ruler in fact in 1921 in favor of the crown prince, Hirohito, who at that time became emperor in fact though not by title. Thus Yoshihito actually reigned but nine years, while Hirohito has ruled as regent for the past five years.

The imperial dynasty is highly cherished in Japan, and there is no question but what it will be continued. Hirohito is already emperor in fact and acting as such although, following Japanese custom, he will not be crowned until a year of mourning for the late emperor has expired. Possibly he will not receive the crown till 1928, but that he will receive it is beyond question, as he is popular and has the best wishes of the people of all his domain.

But while there may not be any political changes worthy the name, it would be decidedly out, of the ordinary were there not some changes in some of the Japanese ways and methods as reflections of the new emperor's knowledge of western ways. He and his princess have traveled around the world and were highly esteemed by the leading men of all the lands they visited. It will be remembered that they visited this country on their world trip, at which time Hirohito was recognized as a young man of great promise, high principles and broad education. That some of the old customs of Japan will disappear under the rule of this young man of twenty-five can hardly be other than expected. The best evidence of the probability of this may be had in the abandonment of the old custom of withholding the announcement of an emperor's death for weeks. In the present case, the announcement was given to the world immediately. And such a change in the order of things Japanese may be anticipated. The out-of-date practices not especially revered will probably be abandoned and the modern ways substituted. In a word, the succession probably means a continuation of the present policies, the only changes being those of ways and methods.

Ancient Wonders of New World.

The ruins of many ancient cities have been found in Mexico, but none of them has given evidences of such antiquity as one of which traces were discovered by a party of archaeologists this month near the village of Quiotepec in the state of Oaxaca. It offers unquestionable evidences of antedating all recorded history. Preliminary excavations show that it was a huge fortified city enclosed in high and massive walls which in the distant past afforded protection to many thousands.

Such discoveries in the New world are not at all uncommon. It has long been known that Mexico, Central America, the northern part of South America and the Pacific coast of the latter continent abound in such evidences of a civilization as old as any of which we find traces in the Old world. The western hemisphere not only exceeds the eastern in natural wonders, but matches the latter division with archaeological wonders fully as interesting and impressive. Even the wonderful pyramids are more than matched by those of Central America, those of the latter land exceeding the Egyptian monuments in all dimensions, and so great is their antiquity that they are covered by growths of immense trees which have probably supplanted growths after growths for centuries past.

The reason why these great ruins of the New world are not so well known as those of the Old probably is that they are not so accessible to travel. A splendid illustration of the difference this matter of accessibility makes is offered by Niagara falls and the Victoria falls of the Zambesi. The former are accredited with being the greatest falls in the world and called one of the world's seven wonders. In width they are the greatest, the width of both the American and Canadian falls being considered as one. Combined, they measure 4,750 feet, the American falls having a height of 164 feet and the falls of Canada 150 feet. On the other hand the Victoria falls have an unbroken width of 3,000 feet and they have a sheer drop of 360 feet, almost 200 feet greater than that of the American falls at Niagara. The falls of Niagara are easily accessible to travelers and practically all the traveling world know them. The falls of the Zambesi are inaccessible to ordinary travel. They are in far-off Africa, away out of the route of travel and to reach them it necessitates many hardships which the ordinary traveler is unwilling to undergo. The result is that it is only the really adventurous traveler who has viewed them. The former have been viewed by millions, the latter possibly by thousands and a very limited number of thousands at that.

When these ancient civilizations of many centuries ago were wiped out—and we do not know how they were wiped out, only that those of both the Old and what we call the New world were wiped out, practically, wiped out if not entirely—the new civilization manifestly gained a better foothold in the Old world than in the New and thrived in a far greater degree. The explanation may be had in the theory that Africa and South America were once connected and the connecting isthmus was swallowed up by the sea before the new civilization had developed in North, Central and South America to an extent equal to its progress in the Old world. The best evidence in support of the existence of this connecting link and its destruction is the architecture of these ancient cities in the Americas. They show markings and hieroglyphics similar to and some the exact duplicates of those on Old world ruins dating back centuries before the Christian era, but not the slightest similarity to the Old world architecture of the Christian era. If such a connection never existed, how explain the similarity in architecture and hieroglyphics? If such a connection did not at one time exist only to be destroyed by some great upheaval of nature, how will we explain why the architecture of the New world did not continue to follow that of the Old?

Be this as it may, the New world, while showing no traces of the middle Christian era architecture, is rich in the architecture of the dim past. That we do not know more of it is due to the fact that it is off the lines of travel.

The great bulk of travel from continent to continent is between North America, Europe, Asia and Africa. Where one American has made a trip to South America, thousands have visited Europe, Northern Africa and parts of Asia. When the ancient places of the New world are made as accessible to travel as are the comparatively ancient places of Europe and Africa, then and only then will the world begin to appreciate the archaeological wonders of the New world.

Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, of Austria, who has been conducting a hot-dog stand in Vienna, is coming to America. If he's looking for an opening in the hot-dog line over here, he's going to find things terribly crowded.

Now that winter is here, it may not be amiss to remark that no man's citizenship is superior to the condition in which he keeps his front walk in the season of snows.

While it may be true that the rum-runners and bootleggers exchange Christmas presents, as has been claimed, the absence of extraordinary mortality records during the Christmas season goes to show that they are far too considerate of their kind to exchange their own goods.

If Judge Landis publishes a few more charges concerning popular baseball idols it's our guess that he will earn every cent of the $65,000 in the burden of fan criticism he will have to bear.

Possibly the greatest mistake the forty-two Columbia professors made in their appeal for a reconsideration of the debt Europe owes us is their appeal to "the American conscience." We have had our fill of that conscience stuff. Our response to it in the past is responsible in great part for the hatred Europe has for us.

"New York has splendid museums, great libraries, fine musical organizations, good churches and famous college facilities," says the Washington Star. "Yet most of the talk circulated through the provinces is about night clubs." Here's a sermon in a paragraph, but the sad phase of the thing is that so few of us are inclined to read and profit by sermons.

"AND WHEN SHE GOT THERE, THE CUPBOARD WAS BARE; AND SO THE POOR DOG HAD NONE."

Gelatine for the Bottle-Fed Baby.

BY ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.

In addition to the minerals, chemically speaking there are three chief foods—fats, carbohydrates and protein. You know what fats are. I need not tell you about them. The carbohydrates are sugar and the starches.

Unless the body is kept warm it can not function any more than a frozen man can function. The heart could not beat nor the muscles act without energy. Heat and energy are generated in the body, just as steam is generated by the coal under the furnace. Fats and carbohydrates are the fuel of the body.

The third of these chief foods are the proteins. These are the building materials. From them are made the tissues and structures of the body.

A common example of protein food is lean meat. But, of course, this is but one of the many, many proteins found in the vegetable and animal worlds. Every fruit and vegetable, fish and fowl, and the beasts of the field, contribute protein foods to the human family.

There are many kinds of proteins. The nature, quality and food value of a given protein depend on its own peculiar combinations of chemicals. If it contains sulphur and iron, or if it is rich in phosphorus or some other essential mineral, its contribution to the welfare of the body may be of unusual importance. That particular protein may be capable of producing growth and strength which some other protein could not give, even if taken in enormous quantities.

In feeding a child there may be given exactly the proper amounts of fats and carbohydrates, and, so far as the scales show, there may be enough protein. But unless that protein is of the right quality, it does not supply the material to give growth and stature to the child.

The bottle-fed baby may not thrive. The milk and its proportions seem perfect, but something is lacking. What is it?

In many such cases of undernourishment the chief and only cause of trouble is the lack of the special kind of protein necessary to satisfy the chemical needs of that particular baby. Small quantities of the right sort of gelatine added to the milk may solve the problem.

It is perfectly amazing what a change takes place when this is done. The gelatin adds to the beneficial effect of the milk, making it capable of meeting the chemical and physical needs of the undernourished child.

With prepared milk alone there may not be normal growth. Upon the addition of a small percentage of gelatin to the feedings the baby thrives like a green bay-tree.

Some day the mysterious effects of the proteins in body-chemistry will be better understood. That is for the future. But we may begin now to get the practical benefits which follow the addition of the gelatin protein to the bottles of the undernourished child.

ANSWERS TO HEALTH QUERIES

J. R. Q—What will make the face plump?

2—What will enrich the blood?

A—Gain weight in general. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

2—Good, nourishing diet, plenty of fresh air and sunshine and proper rest will all bring about results. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

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M. V. Q—How much should a boy weigh who is fourteen years old and five feet one inch tall?

2—How can I gain weight?

A—For this age and height he should weigh about 112 pounds.

2—Try the following good-health rules: Eat your meals at regular intervals. Add to your diet milk, cream, fresh eggs, plenty of green vegetables, fresh and stewed fruit. Drink two or three glasses of water between meals. Make sure that your bowels and kidneys eliminate properly. Avoid excessive tea, coffee and alcoholic stimulants. Exercise freely in the fresh air and practice deep breathing. Sleep in a well-ventilated room as many hours as possible. As a tonic and body builder take a tablespoonful of cod-liver oil after each meal.—Copyright, 1926.

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Dr. Copeland will answer for readers of this paper questions on medicinal, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. Where the subject of a letter is such that it can not be published in this column, Dr. Copeland will, when the question is a proper one, write you personally if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed. Address all inquiries to Dr. Royal S. Copeland, in care of this office.

Just Naturally Impossible.

Congressman Blanton proposes to have the marine corps "dry up" the country, but it would take the marine corps, the standing army and all the hosts of Hades to dry up Mr. Blanton.—Boston Transcript.

Why died I not from the womb? . . . There the wicked cease from troubling, and there the weary are at rest.—Job 3:11, 17.

Prayer—I trusted in Thee, O Lord. I said, Thou art my God. My times are in Thy hand.

Holiday Offerings.

They'll Take the Coin Every Time.

"Contentment is better than riches," although some chorus girls have different opinions. — Wall Street Journal.

Might Help Their Game Some.

The anti-cigaret people might get results by encouraging the growth of inflammable whiskers.—Detroit News.

Can't Very Well Be Debarred.

We don't suppose there are any bars against referring to a prison robbery as an inside job.—Baltimore Evening Sun.

Aid to Longevity of Perpetrator.

Chauncey Depew has lived to reach his ninety-third milestone. That ought to prove that the old stories are best.—Canton News.

Long on Promising.

In these days of installment buying, America seems to be the promised land, insofar as the promising is concerned.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Anyway It's Broke, They Say.

Cotton, it seems, is doing more than the Republican party ever accomplished in its attempt to break the Solid South.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

And the More Lonely.

The 110-story building to be erected in New York City rises to give point to the cryptic adage, "The higher, the fewer."—Christian Science Monitor.

The Prosperity of Today.

Let us not forget that a good deal of our prosperous appearance is due to driving a mortgaged car over a bonded road.—American Lumberman.

The Voice of Experience.

If you think that his own country is the only place where a prophet is without honor you ought to visit one in his own house.—Dayton Daily News.

They Reap the Benefit.

Reformer says putting a criminal in prison doesn't help him. Perhaps it doesn't, but it helps his prospective victims a lot. — Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Sooner or Later.

Mussolini will probably go down in history, if his critics have their way, as the man who put the muss in Italy. Anyway, he will go down.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

They Should Be.

Congress will not get down to business again until January 3 and we suppose our intelligent farmers are thankful for even a brief respite from being relieved.—Ohio State Journal.

A Regular Earthquake.

It looks as though New England economy were in for a distinct shock when the rivers and harbors bill walks up the White House steps and knocks at the door.—Columbus Dispatch.

All of Us Have Been Optimists.

An optimist: The man in the back of the street car who waits until the last second before his stop is reached to push the buzzer button that is out of order.—Youngstown Vindicator.

They Were a Bit Exacting.

It wasn't perhaps exactly "looting" as Senator Borah claims in the allen property administration, but the boys didn't let very much get away from them without taking toll.—Minneapolis Journal.

The Way of the World.

BY GROVE PATTERSON.

The complete failure of so-called intelligent and successful men to understand the joy of knowledge for its own sake is an aspect of modern thinking hard to understand. W. R. Morris, the "Henry Ford of England," is out with a statement that "university training is an absolute waste of time and a severe handicap in commercial life." Poor man, he sees no value in education only in so far as it has some bearing on making valves, bolts and tires.

All live in the house of the mind. It is sad when that house has only bare floors and kitchen chairs.

Note the little islands of safety in the middle of crowded streets. Safety zones are important. We can all take a tip from transportation experts who brought about the construction of these safety zones. We need a place to stop a moment in the midst of the traffic of living.

Abraham Lincoln's sense of humor gave him a safety zone. When the tide of civil war seemed likely to flood the union cause, or when his assistants were rebelling at his orders, Lincoln found a relief and serenity in telling a funny story.

A seventeen-year-old tries to end her life because Fame has not recognized her verse as poetry. Poor youngster, she does not know that real poetry is made from the essence of life—and she is too young to have learned to live.

This girl took herself seriously instead of taking life seriously. Many of us make that mistake. She would do well to study the lives of great poets of the past.

Goethe, for example, knew how to get away from himself. When the world of realities became chaotic, he fled to the world of imagination. He wrote part of a play on the day the battle of Leipzig began. And in 1813, when life in Europe was too turbulent for comfort, the great German poet carried on a detailed study in China.

Speaking of safety zones—Goethe had safety zones in his life.

John Barrymore, playing emotional roles in heavy plays, may sometimes be found back stage reading the comic papers. Barrymore knows the high value of relaxation. He has sense enough to provide safety zones for himself.

Get out of the traffic now and then. You will live longer and be happier.

Twenty Years Ago.

This day was Friday.

Miss Rosa Caskey and Mr. Robert Fleming were married at Adelaide.

Charles O. Eakin, who was being sought by his brother, A. A. Eakin, of Chicago, was located in this city.

Misses Daisy and Lulu Markey entertained about forty of their friends at their home southwest of Agosta.

Miss Ruth Fisher was a house guest of Miss Mary Donavin, of Columbus.

S. C. Corey was elected president of Crescent lodge of Pathfinders.

Harry Cox, twenty-one, suffered a broken nose, a broken right cheek bone and was terribly cut over the right eye when kicked in the face by a horse at Radnor.

The banks of the city were just recovering from a small change famine which had existed since two days before Christmas.

Heavy hogs were selling in Chicago at $6.35 to $6.40; July wheat; 76⅝ to 77⅛; corn, July, 43⅞ to 44; oats, May, 36 to 36⅝.

A. F. McNeal secured a franchise, the night before, to construct and operate a natural gas plant at Marysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Sawyer celebrated the first anniversary of their marriage at their home on Delaware avenue.

The Representative team broke the Y. M. C. A. alley record with a total of 955 pins.

Mrs. Hannah Marggraf was installed as worthy matron of Vera Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, of Caledonia.

Vagrant Verse.

CALVARY.

Friendless and faint, with martyred steps and slow,
Faint for the flesh, but for the spirit free,
Stung by the mob that came to see the show,
The Master toiled along to Calvary.
We jibed Him, as he went, with boundish glee,
Till his dimmed eyes for us did overflow;
We cursed his vengeless hands thrice wretchedly—
And this was nineteen hundred years ago.

But after nineteen hundred years the shame
Still clings, and we have not made the loss
That outraged faith has entered in His name.
Ah, when shall come love's courage to be strong!
Then tell me, O Lord, tell me—O Lord, how long
Are we to keep Christ waiting on the cross?

—Edwin Arlington Robinson.

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Have Their Legal Value.

Those "Stop, Look and Listen" signs at rail crossings mean something. A suit for damages in Missouri was lost because they were not obeyed.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Sometimes a Trifle Slow.

Another common understanding was that a bartender could always be depended upon to tell a customer when he'd had enough.—Kansas City Star.

They're Running on Wind.

Autos of the future will run on coal, and what of those that are running on time?—Wall Street Journal.

Some Questions of Interest Asked and Answered.

Q. How often are cattle tested for tuberculosis under the accredited herd plan? M. Q.

A. Under the accredited herd plan cattle are required to be tested against tuberculosis once a year. If tuberculosis is found in the herd another test in about ninety days and successive tests follow until the herd is free from the disease.

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Q. Who was the first artist to represent a scene taken from Dante's "Divine Comedy?" R. E. T.

A. The English painter, Sir Joshua Reynolds, was the first artist to represent a scene from the "Divine Comedy" in his picture of Count Ugolino della Gherardesca, whose horrible death is recorded in the 23rd canto of The Inferno.

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Q. How can I wash quilts and comforts so that the padding will not become lumpy and uneven? B. M.

A. If quilts and comforts are washed by immersing them in gasolene, instead of water, the padding will remain undisturbed. Gasolene cleansing has the added advantage of killing all moth life and germs, but it is a dangerous home practice.

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Q. How much blood is contained in the human body? R. L. G.

A. Experiments have shown that the total blood volume of a series of healthy men averaged 4.9 per cent., or approximately one-twentieth of the body weight. There were individual variations of from 4.2 per cent. to 5.9 per cent.

Q. What is the Stevenson Creek dam in California? E. C. H.

A. This is an experimental dam which was built entirely for the purpose of testing. It is an arch type dam and tests will be made to determine exactly how and when the yielding point will be reached.

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Q. Is a cupboard under a kitchen sink a satisfactory arrangement? E. C. M.

A. In some places, local regulations prohibit them, since they make plumbing difficult to inspect. They also are likely to be damp and provide a breeding place for waterbugs. They also interfere with the placing of stools so that workers may sit at their tasks.

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Q. Are there two town in Pennsylvania named Elizabeth and Elizabethtown, or are they one and the same? S. S. G.

A. Elizabeth is fourteen miles south of Pittsburgh, and has a population of 2,703. Elizabethtown is eighteen miles southeast of Harrisburg, and has a population of 3,319.

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Q. What is meant by the "archaic mammals?" E. T. C.

A. The so-called "archaic mammals" were the earliest forms of the mammalian group to exist. They appeared in the early Eocene period and were very primitive and generalized in type. These first mammals soon died out giving place to the modern mammals, which are of an entirely different stock.

New York Day by Day.

BY O. O. M'INTYRE.

New York, Dec. 28—Broadway has sp
a desperate type of criminal in the wa
prohibition. He is the bootlegger playing
lessly for high stakes. When his selling
tory is invaded he resorts to only on
course—kill off the invader.

The bootlegging kings are so thoro
ramparted that few of the solicitors kno
whom they are working. And when they
murder the order goes through so many
the hired thugs are not aware of the origi

There are a number of heavy spenders,
source of income is doubtful, believed
chiefs in this game of millions. They
spend a thousand dollars a night in da
haunts for one of those orgies coming
the head of "a party."

So impeccable seem their lives that the
experienced crime hunters are baffled.
said one of the shrewdest has only one
dant. When he has any commands fo
subordinate of importance he rows hi
into the middle of the Hudson.

This may be an exaggeration, but one
is certain a bootleg king will never talk
telephone or is he ever seen with the
men, bail hoppers and other criminals
act as his field agents. He walks alone.

He is not the heavyfooted, squar
gorilla of popular imagination. He ha
breezy, winking gaiety of the boulevardie
is a favorite among show girls upon wh
bestows diamond bracelets and other gee
and is perfectly at home in correct ev
clothes.

The golden rewards attract the highes
of criminal. His post is an executive on
he knows that when he shows just one
streak of yellow he is doomed. Consequ
when thwarted, he strikes out with a blin
murderous passion.

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Balcony audiences in New York th
seem to have the best time. There is n
stiffness of the white-fronts down stai
they give the comfortable impression th
as good as they are. They are very mu
ease. There are young men there with
girls, fathers with entire families, stu
who take notes and all seem more sensit
impressions than those below. There
arriving late merely to be seen. Betwee
the majority remain seated and launch
cussions of the play. There is a critic
prefers the balcony as the most desirable
to review the play.

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The abandonment theme has struck
Pan" alley. Plaintive songs of "breezing
on a breeze" and "nobody wants me" co
their popularity, especially when warbl
those who have a Pagliacci note in their
There are times when some gin guzzler
audience will break right down and c
loud.

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Overheard at Lindy's on Broadway:

"Is he stupid?"

"Stupid? It would take six more in
brains to make him a half wit."

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Overheard in the egg-shaped dining
of the Ritz:

"What I really want is one of those
blood rubies, but I'll be lucky if I get a
bangle, with his family taking that lon
and the market the way it is."—Copyri
1926.

Today's Events.

Tuesday, December 28, 1926.

This is Holy Innocents' day, sometimes
Childermas.

If Woodrow Wilson were living to
would be seventy years of age.

Greetings to Iowa, on the eightieth
versary of her statehood.

Centenary of the birth of James H.
a United States senator from Oregon.

Governor Brandon called the Alabama
lature to meet in special session today.

The Presbyterian manse of Staunton
ginia, in which Woodrow Wilson was
was dedicated today as a national shrin

Miss Betty Baker, daughter of New
Baker, ex-secretary of war, became the b
day of John Philip McGean, of Los Ang

On this, the seventieth anniversary
birth of Woodrow Wilson, many floral o
were deposited about his tomb in the Ep
National Cathedral, Washington.

Stanley B. Bruce, the Australian
minister, is due to arrive in New York
for a brief tour of the United State
Canada on his way home from London.

Elihu Root is to be presented with the
row Wilson Foundation medal and aw
$25,000 this year, in recognition of his s
in helping to create the World court.
annual meeting and dinner of the Fou
in New York tonight.

Hundreds of historians, representin
leges and universities in all parts
country, gathered today in Rochester
York, for the annual convention of the
ican Historial association, the sessio
which will continue four days.

Today's Worst Story.

BY WILL ROGERS

I know a fellow that went down to
the other day, and he says that business
down there. It's a great town, and r
take, and while the American touris
neglect it for a good many centuries, th
been making up for lost time lately. It
according to this friend of mine, tha
guy by the name of Volstead made
popular a few years ago—published a
of the town or made a speech about it,
pose. Anyhow, this man says that
with a party of poets that was trying
a prize offered by the chamber of co
down there for the best poem giving
why Americans should go to Havana.
the poets all went mad and had to be
irons, because they all rhymed "risky
"whisky" and couldn't find a single
word tuo rhyme with bootlegger."—Co
1926.

Who's Who and Why.

IRVING T. BUSH.

Becoming interested in relieving th
gestion of business and traffic in Ne
City, early in his business career, Ir
Bush founded the Bush Terminal com
1902 and established a commercial cent
123 warehouses, eight piers, sixteen in
buildings and facilities for shipping, r
and storing, covering thirty city blo
South Brooklyn, New York. He has
president of the chamber of commerce
United States and a member of other c
and trade organizations. He was
Ridgeway, Michigan, July 12, 1869.
educated at Hill school, Pottstown, P
vania, and has been abroad many time

Dinner Stories.

Murphy, a new cavalry recruit, wa
one of the worst horses in the troop.
"Remember," said the sergeant, "no
allowed to dismount without orders."
Murphy was no sooner in the saddle
horse bucked and Murphy went over h
"Murphy," replied the sergeant,
mounted."
"I did, sergeant."
"Did you have orders?"
"I did."
"From headquarters?"
"No sor; from hindquarters."

1927 PROGRAM OUTLINED AT BOARD MEETING

Executive Group of Bucyrus Federated Clubs Holds Last Official Session

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—The first meeting of the executive board of the Bucyrus federation of women's clubs for the year since the election of officers was held Monday afternoon in the rooms in the library.

Mrs. S. W. Young, reelected president, had charge of the meeting and introduced the speaker, Miss Ophelia Weiler. Miss Weiler is visiting in the city with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Weiler, 216 Lincoln-Way. She is pychologist in the juvenile court at Cincinnati and she talked of her work in a most interesting way.

The various heads of committee in the federation were present and gave reports of their organization meetings. Mrs. Thomas Henderson was again appointed head of the publicity committee; Mrs. Ross Hise continues her duties as chairman of the civics committee which is planning to place a drinking fountain in the public library; Mrs. D. C. Baer is named chairman of the program committee. The chairman of the educational committee, Mrs. Ernest Gettman reported that a daylight screen for high school classes is to be purchased. Mrs. Loyal Kletzin is again chairman of the community research branch of work. Mrs. R. T. Kennedy was appointed new chairman of the house committee. Mrs. Fred Trautman, new chairman of the finance committee is planning a benefit to provide funds for the incoming year. Mrs. W. E. Baker again fills the chair of the health committee.

A new work for the federation and one that will no doubt give pleasure to hundreds and arouse the interest of local flower growers was the appointment of a group of women to plan and incaugurate a flower show for Bucyrus. There are many noteworthy gardens in the city and displays from these and from those who have only a small portion devoted to flowers will be welcome additions to the show. The show is to be free and prizes will be offered by the federation for the displays. Mrs. L. M. Smith is chairman of this department.

DeCliff News

De Cliff, Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Miller entertained at Christmas dinner. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller and children, Virginia, Nyla and Donald of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Spangler, of Meeker; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Montgomery and children, Jeanne and Francis. An exchange of Christmas gifts was given.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Wilson are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Stewart at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The following were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Postle Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powelson, Mr. and Mrs. George Powelson and children, of Agosta; Clay Powelson, of Big Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Hunt, Amos Gray spent Christmas at the Fred Hoch home at Espyville.

Mrs. Roy Anderson is confined to bed with lung trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roux entertained at a family dinner Christmas day. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harris, of near La Rue; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Moberly, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roux, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roux.

Paul Holden, of Detroit, Mich., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Holden.

George Miller, student of the Findlay College, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. William Holden had the following guests Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simmom and son, Bobby, of Lima; Paul Holden, of Detroit, Mich., and Misses Ella Mae and Martha Jane Holden and John Holden.

Miss Nannie Smiley and Steven Smiley, of La Rue; Idris Watkins, of Columbus, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Watkins Christmas day.

BUS SCHEDULE

Leave Marion for Galion with a direct connection for Mansfield every two hours from 7:10 a. m. to 5:10 p. m.

Leave Marion for Mt. Gilead every two hours from 7:10 a. m. to 5:10 p. m.

Leave Marion for Cardington 7:10 a. m., 11:10 a. m., 3:10 p. m. and 5:10 p. m.

Leave Marion for Upper Sandusky, Carey and Findlay at 7 a. m., 9 a. m., 11 a. m., 1 p. m., 3 p. m., 5 p. m., with good connections at Findlay for Toledo and Detroit. Fares 3c to 3½c per mile.

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CHURCH PROGRAM

Three Departments Have Part In Waldo M. E. Observance

Waldo, Dec. 28—Thursday evening at the M. E. church a Christmas program was presented. The first part was given by the primary department and consisted of scripture reading, Vivian Miley, prayer by Superintendent Everett Grigsby; welcome, Janice Baker; recitation, John Randall; dialogue and chorus, Florence Fidler, Paul Waddell, Twila Miller, Mildred Fisher, Stella Mae Zachman; recitations, Betty Baker, Jean Baker; exercise, Robert Boyd, Robert Miley, James Miley and Alan Baker, Florence Fidler.

Intermediate department, song; recitation, Hazel Fisher; exercise, "Gold, Frankinsence and Myrrh," by Esther Wheeler, Dorothy Zachman, Modella Schroat and Wanda Boyd; recitation, Marjorie Lawrence; duet and dialogue, Vivian Miley and Betty Baker.

Pageant, 'Christmas Carols," by the young peoples department; "Angels Bring the Message to the Shepherds," "Wise Men Follow the Star," Mary Joseph; "Shepherds and Angels Around the Manger," Miss Nola Wolf sang the solo parts, Miss Wyatt at the piano. A "White Gift" offering solicited by the pastor, Rev. H. P. Dougherty, was taken amounting to $20.10.

FORMER BUCYRUS MAN DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Body of Emmet Elberson Being Brought Back For Burial

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—Word was received here this morning of the death of Emmett Elberson, a former Bucyrus business man, which occurred last night in Los Angeles, Cal., after a long illness from heart trouble and Bright's disease.

Mr. Elberson operated the Elberson hotel when he resided in Bucyrus. He moved to California with his family two years ago.

The body accompanied by the widow will arrive here Thursday and will be taken to the George-Birk home to await burial. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Besides the widow, a daughter, Corrine, and one son, George Marshall, survive.

AGED WOMAN DIES

Infirmities Claim Life of Mrs. Susanna Beeney, Richwood

Richwood, Dec. 28—Susanna Beeney, 83, died at her home here early this morning of the infirmities of old age. She had been a resident of Union County for the past 55 years.

Mrs. Beeney was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Drumm and was born in Licking County June 25, 1843. She is survived by her husband, Henry, one son, Frank, Richwood, and one daughter, Mrs. W. A. Howard, Columbus.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Beeney was a member of the Disciple church and Livingston Chapter, Women's Relief Corps.

14 GUESTS ENTERTAINED AT SIX-COURSE DINNER

Galion, Dec. 28—Another lovely affair of the holiday season was the dinner party at which Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, 409 W. Railroad-st, entertained fourteen guests and relatives. The honored guests of the occasion were Clifford Smith, a law student at Miami University and Miss Donna Belle Smith of Akron. After an elaborate six course dinner, a social time was enjoyed. Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Connolly and Mrs. Collins of this city.

Norton News

Norton, Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Severns of Marion and Mrs. Susan Wheeler spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gettys and children, John and Neoma spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Main.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Wiseman and sons, Marion and James spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Osborn, near Waldo.

Mrs. Hobson and Mr. Grover Trout of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hobson. Mrs. Hobson intends to spend the winter here. Mr. Trout returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Miley and children Hazel Gladys, Marion, Ralph, Ivn, Wilma and Wesley spent Christmas with Mr. Marion Curren near Westfield.

Donald Glaze and Clyde Glaze of Fort Wayne, Ind., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Glaze.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Selanders and children of Delaware and Raymond Krominger of Stratford spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willis.

Miss Mayme Selanders of Columbus and Mr. Walter Coldren of Waldo spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Mary Selanders.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Main and daughter Violet spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Gettys, west of here.

AGED MAN INJURED

Bucyrus, Dec. 28 — Much concern was entertained by local hospital attaches over the condition this morning of Daniel Brinkman, 86, injured yesterday in a fall on an icy sidewalk. The aged man sustained a fractured hip and right leg.

AGED RICHWOOD COUPLE OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Baumgartner Entertain with Family Dinner

Richwood, Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bumgartner of N. Franklin-st, Richwood, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday by entertaining with a family dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bumgartner were united in marriage Dec. 24, 1876, by the late Dr. J. L. Henkley in Mason County, W. Va. They came to Ohio almost 50 years ago, and located near Green Camp, and later moved to Marion and also lived at East Liberty, but most of the time they have been residents of the vicinity of Richwood. They are the parents of five dauchters and one son, and have 11 grandchildren.

Dinner guests included Mr. and Mrs. Marion McDaniel and daughter, Alma and son, Marion of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and son, Donald of Essex Mr. and Mrs. Don Sidle and son Robert, and daughter Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Disbennett and son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bumgartner and four sons, Raymond, Glen, Fred and Junior, all of near Richwood. The table and rooms throughout were tastefully decorated with gold and white, a large pyramid cake decorated with gold and white trimmings was a feature of the dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Bumgartner were the recipients of a number of beautiful presents, among which were a number of gold pieces of liberal value, a large easy chair and a number of useful presents, with greetings from friends all go to show how well Mr. and Mrs. Bumgartner are esteemed.

BILIOUS FEVER CAUSES DEATH OF J. F. SMITH

Funeral Services for Mt. Gilead Man Held This Afternoon

Mt. Gilead, Dec. 28—John Fremont Smith, 63, died at his home on Lincolnway yesterday. The doctor attributed his death to bilious fever. He is survived by his wife, Cynthia Smith and five children: William Smith of Delaware; Charles Smith of Mansfield; Mrs. Louis Rinehart of Galion; Ed. Smith of Mt. Gilead, and Frank Smith of Lakeville, Ohio. He is also survived by 22 grandchildren. Funeral services were held at his home today at two o'clock. Rev. Hartman conducted the services.

FORMER MT. GILEAD WOMAN HONOR GUEST AT PARTY

Mt. Gilead, Dec. 28—Ruth Chilcote gave a Christmas party at her home Christmas night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gorrell of Ashland, Kentucky. Mrs. Gorrell was formerly Thelma Durkee of Mt. Gilead. The guests were: Eileen Pierce who is now teaching in Delaware; Roger Powell, formerly of Mt. Gilead, now an attorney at Dayton; Neil Moler and Mr and Mrs. Robert Barton of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilson of Marion; and Laura Smith and Neil McCaron of Mt. Gilead. Roger Powell and Eileen Pierce won the bridge prizes.

Harpster News

Harpster, Dec. 28 — Mrs. R. L. Greene and daughter Rachel left for Fostoria Saturday to spend Christmas with Mr. R. L. Greene.

Elton Brewer of Detroit is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brewer.

Mrs. Charles Kennedy is visiting with her daughters Mrs. Harley Iams and Miss Ruby Miller in Toledo.

Christmas Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Seiple entertained on Christmas the following dinner guests; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cross and daughters of Upper Sandusky; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Loveridge of Findlay; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Handy and daughter of Toledo; Mrs. O. T. Pierman of Morral; Mrs. Luco Bettain and daughter Jean of Mansfield; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cross, Mr. and Mrs. James Cross and daughter Mary Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bender and daughter Donna, Mrs. Bernice Handy and daughter Beatrice of Harpster.

The guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Snyder on Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cross and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gould. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Axthelm. Misses Clarabelle and Lydia Snyder, Mr. Orrie Snyder and daughter Elsie Jean.

Mr. Samuel Nitrauer who is employed in Tiffin is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith had for Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Myres and son, Mrs. Anna Walcutt and children, Helen, Hubert and Glenn, Mr and Mrs. N. K. Reid and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Scheckler and daughters Donna and Janis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tunney and son and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mawer and children.

Miss Louise Crider is spending a few days in Mansfield.

Miss Helen Weeks is visiting her parents in Lakewood, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swihart, Sr., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Swihart on Christmas.

Miss Helen Doughton is visiting her parents in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swinehart are visiting relatives and friends in Mansfield.

Wyandot News

Wyandot, Dec. 28—A Christmas program was given at the Wyandot schoolhouse Thursday afternoon. After the program Santa visited the school and passed a treat. The Christmas exchange was then carried on by Santa and the teachers.

Santa Claus visited Sunday morning, Dec. 26, at the Wyandot M. E. Church. After the program was given by the Sunday School, Santa carried with him a large basket of candy from which he treated the Sunday School.

At Karcher Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Payne and daughter Erma of Upper Sandusky and Mr. and Mrs. William Payne and son Robert of Carey visited Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Karcher and family.

Miss Ruth Niederhauer entertained the following guests at a Christmas party at her home, Saturday night: Misses Mabel Barton, Mildred Janey, and Margurrite Bonnell and Messrs. Philip Mercier, Noel Foreman and Leland Kerr.

Galion High Alumni Holds Tenth Reunion Last Night

GALION, Dec. 28—The tenth annual reunion of the Alumni association of Galion High school was held last night in the high school building with a large number of old and young grads in attendance. The committees had done all possible to arrange an enjoyable evening of events for those who attended and their efforts made the banquet and dance of this year the greatest success of any that has yet been held.

At seven-thirty o'clock an elaborate banquet was served, long tables placed in the lower corridor and the gymnasium balcony, accommodating the hundreds of members of the association who had come together again for the yearly meeting. Christmas colors were used in decorating and a clever and pleasing scheme carried out.

Following the dinner a program of entertaining numbers and a short business meeting was held in the auditorium. For the first number Carl Shaw of the class of 1912 sang "Schooldays" while all present joined in singing the old familiar chorus. Mrs. Shaw, a member of the same class, presided at the piano throughout the evening. Miss Sylvia Colmery, 1926, of Mt. Gilead sang several beautiful solos playing her own accompaniments. Her numbers were "Stars and Stripes Forever" by Sousa and a difficult Swiss echo selection. Miss Miriam Sayre from the class of 1926 gave a reading and the male quartet whose numbers closed the program made the "hit" of the evening.

A short business session was conducted by Fred Dusey, president and reports made by Miss Ruth Holmes, the secretary-treasurer of the organization. Officers were elected by ballot and as a result A. D. Diamond, 1901, was chosen president, Arthur Schrock, 1917, vice president and Miriam Sayre, 1926, secretary-treasurer. The singing of several favorite high school songs brought the program to a close and the formality of the first of the evening's events were forgotten when all joined in the dance which was held in the gym. Brightly colored hats and caps, horns and squawkers were given as favors. Miss Zilpha Marsh and Herbert Black led the grand march and then dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Several feature dances were given and serpentine paper passed out to the couples until the hall was a haze of bright colors.

Classes from 1881 to 1926 were represented and it was a jolly get-together for members of the older classes as well as for many of the college students who are home for the vacation.

CARDINGTON CHURCHES HOLD OBSERVANCES

Programs Given Christmas Day and Sunday Night by Two Groups

Cardington, Dec. 28—Yuletide services were held in the St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran church on Christmas Day.

The annual preaching service in the morning at 10 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. I. Seim with his discourse based on the theme, "The Christmas Glory of Bethlehem."

At night a splendid program by the Sunday School and members of the choir was given. The program consisted of recitations, solos, pantomimes, anthems and various other presentations which showed forth the Christmas spirit very effectively.

The church was fittingly decorated, a beautifully adorned and lighted Christmas tree stood at one side of the platform.

At M. E. Church

Christmas services were held Sunday evening at 7:30 in the M. E. church. The service was opened by a number by the Sunday School orchestra, followed by singing "Joy to the World" by the congregation. After the hymn the audience was led in prayer by Ralph Shaw. Rev. O. L. Williams then read the story of the Saviour's birth and the congregation sang "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." The choir sang "Let the Old Songs Ring." After a number of recitations, exercises and motion songs by the small children and the chorus the service was closed with the presentation of a beautiful pantomime.

PAGEANTS PRESENTED BY WALDO SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Waldo, Dec. 28—Friday night at the Lutheran church a pageant, "The Everlasting Light" was given by the Sunday School and was witnessed by a large audience. At the same hour at the Reformed church the school put on a very beautiful pageant "Keeping Christ in Christmas," a large crowd witnessed the service.

Carey News

Carey Dec. 28—Rev. and Mrs. Paul R. Clouser and daughter spent Christmas in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cosgray of Sandusky were over Christmas guests at the C. N. Cosgray and E. M. Keller homes.

Mrs. Mary Stroup and daughter Elizabeth and John Sheridan returned Saturday evening from a Christmas visit at the Max Stringfellow home in Findlay.

Mrs. Nelle Wildermuth of Columbus arrived Sunday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Perkins.

Mrs. Walter Myers and Mrs. Adam Hagenmaier of Upper Sandusky motored to Findlay Friday evening.

Improving

Miss Ruth Reister who has been ill with diphtheria is improving.

Miss Sue Roll of Toledo was an over Christmas visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Roll.

S. M. Ranger and daughter Mildred, of Akron, were over Christmas visitors with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Scarfoss and son Franklin of Findlay were Christmas guests at the Loren Stahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Angus and children of Bellevue were week-end guests at the G. W. Hickle home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Horton and son Phillip of Newark arrived Friday for a holiday visit at the W. S. Bish home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kurtz and children of Akron are guests at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. W. R. Kurtz.

Miss Mildred Russell is spending the holidays at her home in Toledo.

Earl Le Mott of Akron was home over the week-end.

George Gardner, athletic coach in Laurel High School at Laurel, Del., is spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner, Sr.

Charles Humbert of Toledo was an over Christmas visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Humbert.

The Christmas program to be given by the Lutheran Sunday school Sunday morning was postponed until Wednesday evening on account of the weather.

Rev. L. H. Nauman returned Sunday morning from a Christmas visit with his parents in Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Leonard and children were week-end guests of relatives in Mansfield.

Miss Stella Nye teacher in public schools in Plymouth is spending the holidays at her home here.

Miss Jennie Powell who is a kindergarten worker in the Luther Mission in Philadelphia is visiting at the home of her father J. W. Powell.

Back from Florida

Rose Patterson has returned from a couple of weeks' stay at Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullholand of Pittsburgh are guests at the home of the former's father, Mayor Miles Mullholand.

Fordyce Ogg went to Dayton, Friday for a visit at the George Ulmer home.

Mrs. Adam Hagenmaier and daughter Ruth Clair of Upper Sandusky spent Friday and Saturday at the Lewis Stahl home. Mr. Hagenmaier was a guest Saturday.

RADIO ANNOUNCER IS KENTON C. OF C. SPEAKER

A. Lee Henderson Appears Today on Weekly Luncheon Program

Kenton, Dec. 28—A. Lee Henderson, instructor in the Ohio State University, Columbus, and popular announcer over the university broadcasting station WEAO, was the principal speaker before the Chamber of Commerce here today, presenting some or highlights in radio broadcasting.

Mr. Henderson is the son of Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Henderson of Marketst, Kenton. He is known to hundreds of radio fans over the state who have listened in during the past two years on the Ohio State football games.

N. J. Alexander, business man here, was chairman of the meeting.

Little Sandusky News

Little Sandusky, Dec. 28 — A short Christmas program was given at the Little Sandusky School House, Friday, Dec. 24, after which the pupils were dismissed for the holidays. The program consisted of songs, recitations and instrumental music. Santa visited the school and helped in passing the treat and presents. A number of parents and visitors attended.

At Church

A Christmas program was given at the Little Sandusky M. E. Church, Sunday evening, Dec. 26. A talk by the pastor, Rev. I. C. Wynn was given as a part of the program, after which a treat of candy was given to the younger members of the Sunday School.

Marion Foreman of Marion visited over Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woessner and son Harley of southeast of Upper Sandusky, Mr. Nollie Lumpkins and Mrs. Ida Clark and children spent Christmas day with John Woessner and daughter Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Manhart and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cramer of west of Harpster.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Swihart entertained the following dinner guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Swihart and son Marvin and Wayne Swihart of Marion and Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Swihart of Brush Ridge.

In Marion

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Martin and sons Charles and Robert spent Christmas in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barber and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Day Ludwig and family of Dola.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Handy and daughter Vesper spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fowler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Swihart spent Christmas at Mansfield.

At Heller Home

Mrs. Wallace Arnholt of Tyrol and Miss Clara Mae Heller of Columbus are spending the week at the C. T. Heller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bibler of Delaware spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Swihart and C. L. Heller.

Miss Eva Sigler of Tiffin is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sigler.

Mrs. Mary Rogers of Marion is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. William Lumberson.

CAR OWNER FOUND

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—O. C. Sloss, Bellville, appeared before local police authorities this morning and laid claim to a Ford Coupe found abandoned on the Sandusky-rd early today.

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INSTALL PASTOR

Rev. R. W. Smiley Has Charge of Richwood Services

Richwood, Dec. 28—Very impressive services were held last night at 7:30 o'clock, when the Rev. Charles Combrink was installed as pastor of the Richwood Presbyterian church, by Rev. R. W. Smiley of Marion. Rev. Clarence Gee of Delaware gave the charge to the pastor, and Rev. H. C. Rice of Degraff delivered the charge to the congregation. Robert Conboy, a student of Wooster College sang a vocal solo, the benediction was pronounced by the newly installed pastor.

PNEUMONIA CLAIMS LIFE OF MARYSVILLE WOMAN

Funeral Services for Mrs. W. L. Hazen Held at Congregational Church

Marysville, Dec. 28—Funeral services are held yesterday afternoon for Mrs. W. L. Hazen, who passed away Saturday morning at her home on the Kenton-Marysville rd, after an illness with pneumonia with which she had been afflicted for several days. The services were in charge of Rev. C. H. Couch, pastor of the Congregational Church of this city and interment was made in Oakdale Cemetery in charge of L. H. Miller, mortician.

Mrs. Hazen was born in Union County, Aug. 27 1852, a daughter of Walter and Sarah Martin Kezerta. Both parents are deceased. There were two sisters and a brother, one of whom Miss Dora Kezerta, of Marysville, is living. Clay Kezerta and Mrs. Mary Kezerta Dee, are deceased.

On May 12, 1878, she was united in marriage to Mr. Hazen. For four years they resided here, where her husband operated the first cheese factory in Union County. Later they resided in Marysville for a few years, returning to this county, where Mrs. Hazen has resided on the well-known Hazen farm for thirty years. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen were the parents of but one child, Mrs. Aline Bywater, who, with her husband and two children, Elsie and Walter, reside on the Hazen farm. Her husband W. L. Hazen died March 12, 1915.

Mrs. Hazen was a highly esteemed woman, enjoying a large circle of friendships both in her vicinity and in Marysville.

Prospect News

Prospect, Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dunbar entertained their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren with a fine Christmas dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Persig and family of Columbus; Mr. Frank Dunbar of Middletown, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Landon, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dunbar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fleming and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunbar and family, Mrs. Fern Evans and son Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fleming and family and Mr. Walter Almendinger were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Almendinger, at a 6 o'clock dinner Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Maize and son Billy, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farnum and Mrs. Adelaide Farnum, all of Columbus, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Herr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Herr had as their guests Christmas day, Mrs. Mary Corbett of Richwood, and Mr. C. R. Herr.

Mr. Owen Landon was a Christmas guest of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Hiller of Marion.

Stanford Ackley of Ohio State University, is now a member of the Varsity Glee Club, composed of approximately 32 men.

Mrs. Ross Fitzer and son Paul from near Sunbury, spent Monday with Mrs Fitzer's brother and sister, Charles and Hattie Fleming.

Mrs. W. M. Keller and daughter Esther went to Marion Monday afternoon, to hear the Ohio Wesleyan Glee Club, at the Marion theater.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dowell was a Christmas guest of her son, Foret Dowell and family at Columbus.

Miss Laura Decker spent Christmas day with her son, Dwight Decker and family at Marion.

Mr. J. H. Eversole spent Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pearl Sells in Marion.

COUPLE MARRIED AT RICHWOOD PARSONAGE

Miss Kathleen Imbody Becomes Bride of Irven G. McDaniel

Richwood, Dec. 28—Miss Kathleen Imbody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Imbody was married Christmas eve to Dr. Irven G. McDaniel of Carey, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. B. F. McKinon, in the presence of Miss Mildred Feussetmacher of Marysville, and Robert P. Allen of Ada.

The bride is a graduate of the Richwood High School and at present is a student at the National College of Chiropractic in Chicago. In March she will receive her D. C. and P. H. C. degrees. Mrs. McDaniels is a member of the Lambda Chi Sprority.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDaniel of Carey, formerly of Richwood. Dr. McDaniel is a graduate of the Richwood High School, also of the National College of Chiropractic, where he received the degrees D. C. and P. H. C. and was received as interne in the department of Electro and Philipio-Therapeutics; he is a member of the Sigma Phi Kappi Fraternity. He has passed the State Board of Chiropractic, and is located at Carey, O. Dr. and Mrs. McDaniel will be at their home in Carey to their many friends after April 1.

PAROCHIAL FIVE WINS OVER LIMA QUINTET

Rawlinson Leads Kenton Scorers with 15 Points to Credit

Kenton, Dec. 28—The Parochial Five of the St. Anthony Institute of this city gained sweet revenge for a defeat earlier in the season last night when they humbled the St. Gerard cagers of Lima at the S. A. I. gym here by a score of 23 to 11.

Laying aside the timidness that characterized their play in the first contest against the Gerards at Lima the local aggregation swept their opponents to the side at the start of the fray. It was the locals first contest on the home floor this season and they presented a fine front to the fans.

The diminutive "Slip" Rawlinson proved himself the star of the contest scoring fifteen points. The scoring on the Lima team was divided up among the team. Wednesday night the Parochials will journey to Springfield where they will play the St Bernard high school.

Marseilles News

Marseilles, Dec. 28—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coles, daughter Mozelle and Miss Doris Emptage spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rubins at Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter Clewa spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hunsicker and family at Ada.

P. R. Haley of Mansfield was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. D. Coles and family Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emptage entertained at Christmas Dinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas, sons LeRoy and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas, daughters, Nina, Elsie and Anna May and sons Carl and Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Anthony and family of Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Needles and daughter were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Coles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gilliland, daughter Elsie and son Ujah spent Saturday with her father, Adam Paul and family near Kelly's Corners.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Chandler had as Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chandler nfw Valparaiso, Ind., Frederick Chandler of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Chandled and family.

HEARING CASE

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—Judge Walter C. Wright this morning was hearing the divorce suit of Sylvester Shaw against his wife, Irene Shaw on charges of neglect of duty.

HOLD FUNERAL FOR MARYSVILLE SCHOOL HEAD

Louis B. Demorest, Veteran Educator, Dies at Son's Home in Columbus

Marysville, Dec. 28—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Louis B. Demorest, who for 12 years served the Marysville Public Schools as principal and superintendent. Rev. C. C. Kennedy, pastor of the Methodist Church was in charge of the services. Interment was made in Oakdale cemetery in charge of E. S. Faulkner, mortician.

Mr. Demorest passed away Friday afternoon at the home of his son, Dana J. Demorest, at Columbus, where he was taken some time ago because of his serious illness. He had been in failing health for some time.

Born at Camp Chase

Mr. Demorest was born June 3, 1853 at Camp Chase, Franklin County, being the youngest son of Guillimus and Lucinda Demorest. Mr. Demorest attended the district school there up to his tenth year, when his father moved to Delaware and it was in the public schools of that town that Mr. Demorest continued through high school, after graduating from which he entered Ohio Wesleyan University. From this institution he graduated in June, 1876.

In the fall of that year he was married to Miss Sarah Marshall of Marysville who had graduated from Ohio Wesleyan the year before.

Taught in Rural School

In the fall of 1877, Mr. Demorest began his career as a public educator, teaching the winter term in the McFadden School on the Kentonrd, north of Marysville, and the following year in the Robinson school on the Robinsonrd.

In 1879, the Board of Education of Marysville, invited Mr. Demorest to assume control of the grammar school here, which position he accepted. In 1880, he was promoted to the principalship of the Marysville High School, holding this position until 1898, when he was elected superintendent of schools. In this capacity he served until 1924, when, his health having broken down, he resigned.

Mr. Demorest was a member of Palestine Lodge, F. & A. M., and Past Chancellor of the local lodge of the Knights of Pythias, and was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. For many years he was prominent in the Methodist Episcopal Church, having been steward for 28 years and superintendent of the Sabbath School for 18 years, and also for many years a member of the Board of Church Trustees, being member emeritus at the time of his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Demorest were the parents of five children, of whom four are living. The eldest, Francis M., died last year at Columbus. Ralph H. Demorest is principal of Scott High School, Toledo; Dana J. Demorest is head of the Department of Metallurgy, Ohio State University; Mrs. Madge Demorest resides at Columbus, and Don L. Demorest is assistant professor of French at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

DAMAGE SUIT MOTION BEFORE SUPREME COURT

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—Because she lost an eye in a buggy and auto smashup over a year ago, Clemena Yeiter for his 12 year old daughter Charlotte asks $10,000 from George Weigman, both of Chatfield. The case was heard here and at Lima and now a motion to certify records has been filed in the supreme court of Ohio.

LICENSES ISSUED

Bucyrus, Dec. 28—Holliday marriage licenses included Charles White and Harriett Bushong both of Bucyrus; John B. Willie and Elsie M. Ferguson, both of Bucyrus; Edward N. Smith and Mrs. Grace Price, both of Bucyrus.

SCHERFF'S

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A PAGE FOR WOMEN READERS

CLUB AFFAIRS SOCIAL EVENTS CHURCH NOTES

Social Activities

ABOUT 75 friends of Colonel George B. Christian called at his home, E. Church-st, last night to congratulate him on his 80th birthday anniversary. The guests were received by Colonel and Mrs. Christian in rooms attractively decorated with flowers and potted plants, remembrances from friends. Colonel Christian also received two large birthday cakes, one bearing 80 candles. The time was spent socially.

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MEMBERS of the Junior Lecture-Recital Club were hostesses at a delightful program and silver tea given between the hours of 8 and 10 last night in the parlors of the Epworth M. E. Church. A delightful program was given by former members of the club who are home for the holiday vacation. Proceeds of the affair will be contributed to the endowment fund for the MacDowell Colony, sponsored by the Children's Crusade, whose members plan to preserve the log cabin and the resting place of the composer. Tea tables were attractive in a charming color note and during the tea hour the guests were entertained with a program of orchestra music played by Miss Mary Mills, cello, Miss Dorothy Zeig, piano, Miss Elma Suge, saxophone, Miss Ilo Smallwood, violin, and Miss Dorothea Creasap clarinet. Miss Helen Fidler, who was to have given a group of readings was unable to appear on account of illness. Miss Elizabeth Pace played "Kamennoi Ostrow," Rubenstein, and Miss Elizabeth Kenan played "Barcerole," also by Rubenstein. Miss Bettie Hulse entertained with two vocal numbers, "Jesu Bambino," and "I Dreampt That I Dwelt In Marble Halls," and Miss Grace Kling played two piano numbers, "Chase Rinecberger," and "Waltz in D," Chopin. Miss Lois Snodgrass sang "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," Haydn, and "Leaves and the Wind," Leoni. The program closed with a piano solo, "Mispica," Pirendelli, by Miss Clover Mae Klingel.

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ONE of the loveliest parties of the holiday season arranged by two members of the younger social circle occurred last night when Misses Mary Katheryn and Eleanor Tennis entertained at bridge at their home, 586 E. Center-st. The affair was arranged for the pleasure of Miss Mary Starner, a student in a professional school in New York City, who is spending her vacation here.

The rooms were attractively decorated with cut flowers and decorations in keeping with a holiday atmosphere. Four tables were filled for bridge, high honors going to Miss Jane Smith while Miss Jane Guthery received the consolation award. Miss Mary Katheryn Tennis was assisted in serving a lovely luncheon by her mother, Mrs. A. R. Tennis.

Guests included the honored guest and Miss Jean DeWolfe, Misses Jane and Ruth Guthery, Miss Jane Smith, Miss Margretta Carl, Miss Ruth Hageman, Miss Sue McCurdy, Miss Imogene Kraus, Miss Martha Linscott, Miss Dorothea Robinson, Miss R. Nell Creasap, Miss Mary Kathryn Artzpoeus, Miss Margaret Williams, Miss Eleanor Pfeiffer and Miss Alice Louise Monnette.

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Miss Genevieve Mattox and Fred Artz Wed

Miss Genevieve Mattox and Fred Artz, both of this city, were married at 10 o'clock yesterday morning by Rev. F. X. Cotter, at St. Mary's parish house, N. Main-st. They were attended by Miss Bernice Kerr, sorority sister of the bride, and Emery Thompson.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception and wedding breakfast were held at Hotel Harding. Mr. and Mrs. Artz left in the afternoon on a motor trip east and after Jan. 1 will be at home in Cincinnati.

The bride wore for her wedding a satin frock in Chanel Red with a silver brocaded hat, and her flowers were Columbia Roses and stevia. Her attendant wore a gown of green georgette and carried a corsage of pink roses. The table for the wedding breakfast, at which covers were placed for 32, was centered with a plaque of Columbia roses and greenery and garlands of Southern smilax arranged a border.

Mrs. Artz is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Mattox, N. Main-st. She is a graduate of Marion High School and of Ohio University, where she is affiliated with Alpha Xi Delta Sorority. Mr. Artz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Artz, Bellevue-av, and is a graduate of St. Mary's Parochial School. He is employed as a salesman with the Marion Steam Shovel Co.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Warren, of Delaware, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Warren, of Columbus.

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Christmas Guests at Mahaffey Home

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey had as their Christmas Day guests at their home, Harding Highway-W, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Core, of Upper Sandusky; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mahaffey.

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Miss Marjorie Eymon Is Club Hostess

Miss Marjorie Eymon entertained members of the Le Mercure Club last night at her home, Mt. Vernon-av. Miss Mabel Balmer contributed a review of "Lady Windemere's Fan," Oscar Wilde. The club will meet Jan. 10 with Mrs. Marion Lawrence, S. Prospect-st.

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Entertain for Columbus Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Baker, of Columbus, were honor guests at a family dinner Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker, Patterson. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Baker returned to their home in Columbus Sunday night.

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Mrs. F. H. Johnson Entertains With Delightful Afternoon Party

Mrs. F. H. Johnson entertained a number of guests yesterday afternoon at her home, 495 S. Prospect-st, for the pleasure of her house guest, Miss Gertrude Sarnoff of Detroit. Mrs. Watkin Johnson entertained with several delightful vocal numbers and Miss Sarnoff with a group of piano selections. Decorations were in keeping with the Christmas season. Covers for the lunch which was served, were arranged for the following guests, Mrs. Z. B. Houghton, Mrs. W. F. Pasters, Mrs. Frank Annen, Mrs. Ed Mason, Mrs. Case, Mrs. Brett Hurd, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Fay and Mrs. Watkin Johnson.

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Christmas Dinner at Chas. Scheitler Home

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scheitler entertained a number of guests at Christmas dinner Saturday at their home, 423 Lee-st. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scheitler and daughters, Mary and Agnes of Denver, Col., Mrs. Lawrence Scheitler, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McFann and daughter and Henry Daulton.

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Birthday Dinner for Grant James

Mr. and Mrs. Grant James entertained a number of relatives at dinner Sunday at their home, Latourette-st, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. James. The rooms and table carried out a decorative note in keeping with the season. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. James Bridge and daughter, Frances, of Harpster; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rache and daughter, Colleen, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Greenland, of Bucyrus; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Alkire, Mrs. Dwight Dunn, Mrs. Frances Verity and son, Jimmie, and Cathryn and Dale James.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hensel Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hensel entertained a number of friends at dinner Christmas day at their home, southeast of the city. The rooms were decorated in keeping with the season and gifts were distributed from a Christmas tree by "Santa Claus." Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ruth and children, Kenneth, Faye, Richard and Donna Bell, of Waldo; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ruth and son, Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chapman and children, Isabelle and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Elenis Chapman and son, Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ruth and sons, John, Edwin Jr., and Frank Herbert, Mrs. John Ruth, Carl, Erma and Lucile Ruth, Mrs. Bertha Dean and daughter, Dorothy, of Akron, and Miss Hazel Hensel.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Temple Entertain Family

Mr. and Mrs. William Temple, 208 Nye-st, entertained at a family dinner Christmas Eve at their home. The guests enjoyed a Christmas exchange. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dall and children, Lelloy and Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Temple, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Temple, Miss Alice Dall, of Morral; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Price and son, John, Mr and Mrs. Earl Temple, Helen, Paul and Richard Temple, of Marion.

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Guests Are Entertained at Family Dinner

The following guests were entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fultz, two-and-one-half miles northwest of the city, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Good and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fultz and children, Freda, Charles and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Alexander and children, Catherine, Rodger, Harold and Ishmael, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes and children, Billy, Grace and Merrill, of Morral.

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Family Dinner at Hildreth Home

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Hildreth entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day at their home, W. Columbia-st. Covers were placed for Mrs. Mary Rodgers, of Richwood; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tennant of near Radnor; Mrs. Hattie Welch, Miss Lena Hildreth, Dwight Hildreth and Charles Williams.

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Mrs. Clara Smith Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. Clara Smith, entertained a number of guests at Christmas dinner and an afternoon spent socially and with music and games Saturday at her home, 419 N. Senate-st. An exchange of Christmas gifts was enjoyed as well as the illuminated tree arranged for the children. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons and children, Margie and John Henry, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Toledo; Charles W. Smith of Prospect; Miss Mae Jones of LaRue and the following guests from Marion: Mrs. H. W. Shrock, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson and son, Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Daily and three children, Virginia, Carl and Lawrence Ray, John H. Smith, James F. Smith, C. C. Smith, Albert Richardson and his grandson and J. C. Wilson.

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Christmas Dinner at Kauble Home

Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Kauble entertained at dinner Christmas Day at their home, Cleveland-av. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Brown and daughter, Geraldine, F. F. Kauble and Myron D. Kauble, of Forest; Miss Mollie Thompson and Dr. J. D. Darling.

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Family Dinner at Moreland Home

The following guests were entertained at the annual family dinner Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Moreland, north of the city: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kern and children, King, Hazel, Adair, Frances, Harold and Betty Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drake and children, Maxine, Lorraine, Ralph and Robert, Miss Lulu Hurst, Ralph Drake and Raymond Drake, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Baker, Mrs. Minnie Drake and Miss Mildred Drake, of Claridoy; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Moreland and children, Ingle and Millark Kirk. The time was spent socially and with games and music. In the afternoon gifts in a Christmas exchange were distributed by a Santa Claus.

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Prospect Couple Wed at Parsonage

Miss Frieda Youssy and Edwin O. Peters, both of Bucyrus, were married at 11 o'clock Christmas Day at the home of Rev. A. F. Uphoff, S. Prospect-st, who read the single ring service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tobin Entertain Christmas Day

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tobin and son, Claude, entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner at their home, 661 Sugarest, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Artman of Youngstown, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Fleck and daughter, Betty Bell of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. B. Dutton and sons, Jack, Wayne, and Neil and Mrs. Isabel Lyday of the city.

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Christmas Dinner at Walter Parks Home

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parks of Brush Ridge entertained the following guests at a Christmas dinner Saturday: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Parks and children, Ruth and David of Forest, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Buskirk and children, Flossie and Roy, and Mrs. J. S. Van Buskirk of Brush Ridge and Melvin Woodruff of Dunkirk.

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Christmas Dinner at Messenger Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Messenger entertained at a family dinner Christmas Day at their home, 257 S. Seffner-av. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cover, Misses Lillian Cover, Kathryn Cover, Evelyn Rents and Rutledge Cover, of Youngstown; Mr. and Mrs. Colonel Messenger, Mr. and Mrs. Cover Messenger, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith, Miss Mayme Messenger, Clyde Smith, Fred Smith, Colonel Messenger Jr., and Solomon Messenger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Schmelzer Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Schmelzer entertained a number of friends and neighbors Saturday night at their home, Franconia-av. The time was spent with old-time music contributed by Mrs. William Manahan, Clyde and Blanchard Drumm and Doyle Schmelzer. Cards also were enjoyed. Out-of-town guests were Dr. M. B. Walter, of Fredericktown, father of Mrs. Schmelzer and Miss Helen Trumbyle.

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Glyde Monroe and Carl Hoffman Wed

Miss Glyde C. Monroe and Carl Hoffman, both of this city, were married at 10:30 o'clock Christmas Day at the home of the bride, 764 Bellefontaine-av. Rev. A. F. Uphoff, pastor of the Prospect Street M. E. Church, read the single ring service. A wedding breakfast was served, covers being placed for 12. Following a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will make their home here. Mr. Hoffman is employed with the Yellah Steel Co.

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Christmas Dinner at Orians Home

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orians entertained at a Christmas dinner Saturday at their home, E. Farming-st. An illuminated Christmas tree and other yuletide emblems arranged an attractive color note in keeping with the season. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Lamman and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Lena Sprath, Mildred Clifford, Edith and Starling Orians, this city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hatcher, of Richwood.

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Family Dinner at Harriman Home

Mrs. Carrie Harriman and daughter, Mrs. Jessie Frush, W. Center-st, entertained at a family dinner of lovely appointments Christmas Day at their home. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harriman and family, of Essex; Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott and family, of Richwood; Miss Florence Wellwood, of Mt. Victory; Mr and Mrs. William McCurdy and John Bishop, of this city.

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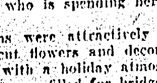
Ben Hur Literary Society Members Meet

Mrs. F. J. Schultz and Mrs. E. B. Barnthouse were hostesses to members of the Ben Hur Literary Society yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Barnthouse, S. Main-st. Following the program hour the members enjoyed their annual Christmas exchange of gifts and refreshments were served. Several seasonable numbers were played on the graphophone. Roll call responses were Bible verses and Mrs. Kendrick Turner gave a reading, "A Friend's Greeting," by Edgar Guest, "Gifts of the Magi," by O. Henry was read by Mrs. J. T. Bargar and Mrs. Lydia Huston read Edgar Guest's poem, "Christmas Eve," "Christmas Everywhere," Brooks, was the title of a poem read by Mrs. S. E. Lewis. Mrs. Charles Melvin and Mrs. J. R. Sarge gave an interesting report of the federation meeting for December, Mrs. J. B. Gallagher, of Tippecanoe, and Mrs. L. D. Stoner, were guests. The next meeting will be Monday night, Jan. 10, at the home of Mrs. T. K. Holmes, Blaine-av.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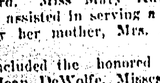
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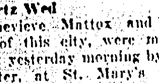
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Ohio Wesleyan Glee Club Draws Large Attendance

Many members of the Ohio Wesleyan University Alumni Association of this city as well as many students of the university spending the holidays here were in attendance at the Marion theater yesterday afternoon and last night when members of the Ohio Wesleyan University Glee Club of Delaware presented an especially fine group of numbers with the regular theater performances.

The club, which is well-directed by Guy E. McLean, is composed of 30 splendid singers who present a varied program constituting college songs, and popular and semi-classical numbers. Accompanying the troupe are Paul Knopp and Vincent Adams, chalk artists of remarkable ability.

Well Received

The entire performance was well-received by a well-filled auditorium last night. The singing of college songs and the numbers, "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" and "Morning" by Speaks were especially appreciated. Their popular numbers were "Me Too" and "I Can't Get Over a Girl Like You Lovin' a Boy Like Me."

A quartet consisting of Thomas Lee and Frank Manton, tenors, and Urias Genseimer and Albert Manton, bass with Kenneth Pearce as accompanist, sang "The Belle of Barcelona" as a feature number.

The University song which created a college atmosphere at the outset of the program, was composed by two members of the club, Beverly Kelley, manager, and Dale Bartholomew, accompanist.

Chalk Artists

The chalk artists cleverly entertained with the drawing of a duck one continuous line, the rapid creating of "the college hero," a student in football garb, and various character sketches.

The presentation at the Marion theater yesterday was the first of a series of 10 engagements for which the club members are booked for the holiday season. They expect to travel through Ohio and into Indiana. The voices are well-chosen, the selections show many hours of careful training and a clarity and power that is responsible for the fact that the club is now in possession, for the second time in four years, of a Trophy Cup, presented annually to the winner of the Ohio Intercollegiate Glee Club Contest.

Twelve Fraternities

The members of the club, who are largely natives of the state of Ohio, represent twelve national fraternities, including the Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia fraternity, a national honorary musical organization.

Other members of the club are John P. Hoffman, president, William Acles, Harold Hensler, J. Lyman Mallard, Aaron Sharp, Kenneth Van Meter, William Boehnker, Darwin Forsythe, Desmond Moody, Alton Richards, James Smith, Edward Gobeaux, Ralph Lloyd, George Mullin, Claude Turner, Willis Keiser, Walter Severinghaus, William Updegraff and Everett Walsman.

MEMORIAL PROGRAM

Calvary Evangelical Church Congregation Attends Dedication Service

A Christmas memorial program was enjoyed by a capacity congregation Sunday night at the Calvary Evangelical Church. A feature of the entertainment was the dedication of a new Mohlin Grand Piano, presented the church in memory of Rose Pagnard Johnson by Dr. W. L. Johnson.

The dedicatory program opened with the number, "Night Sounds from the Forest," played by Mrs. J. W. Baker at the piano. The presentation was made by Rev. C. L. Allen after which H. W. Zachman gave a speech of appreciation.

Mrs. Baker then played "The City Foresquare," "Grillen," and "Have Thine Own Way, Lord," the latter one of Mrs. Johnson's favorite hymns, after which the dedicatory prayer was offered and a postlude played by Mrs. Baker.

The program proper opened with the singing of "Joy to the World," the reading of the scripture lesson by Rev. C. L. Allen, pastor of the church, and with prayer. A prelude "Star of Bethlehem" was played by Miss Pauline Zachman, who accompanied the numbers on the organ.

The selections sung by members of the choir were a well-chosen group including "Calm on the Night" by Wilson, "What Mean Those Holy Voices" by Lorenz, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" with vocal solo selections by Mrs. E. C. Rowley. "Good Tidings" was the title of the number in which Mrs. Roy Midlam presented a solo. Mrs. A. L. Wood soprano and L. D. Zachman, tenor were featured in the number, "Star of a Thousand Years." "Jesus Came to Save" was the title of the selection sung by a male chorus.

CHURCH ELECTION

Claude Geissler Renamed Central Christian Superintendent

Claude Geissler was re-elected superintendent of the Adult Department of the Sunday School, Central Christian Church, it was announced at the Sunday School hour Sunday. Other officers chosen for re-election were Welcome Cass, assistant superintendent; Miss Jennie Everhart, secretary; Miss Pearl Everhart, recording secretary; Miss Inez McClure, enrolling secretary; Emmet Hollandshead, treasurer; Wallace Schneider, pianist; Miss Helen McClain, assistant pianist; Miss Tressa Baldauf, chorister; Mrs. Lyman Park, assistant chorister; William Lee, Jr., and Dwight Smith, librarians.

Mrs. D. A. Frank and E. Weimer were chosen superintendents of the Junior and Intermediate Departments; Mrs. Avis Clark, assistant superintendent; Miss Lillian Griffith, pianist and Miss Miriam Hattendorf, chorister. Mrs. J. W. Thompson will serve another year as superintendent of the Primary Department assisted by Mrs. W. C. Tucker as assistant superintendent and Miss Lucile Hunt as organist.

Mrs. Effie Noe was chosen superintendent of the Beginners Department, with Miss Winifred Peddicord and Robert Kinsler as assistants and Miss Margaret Noe as organist. Mrs. E. C. Caldwell will preside as superintendent of the Cradle Roll Department and the Home Department of the Sunday School will be conducted under the auspices of members of the Loyal Women's Class.

INSTALLS OFFICERS

Marion Lodge of Masons Holds Stated Communication

Stated communication of Marion Lodge, No. 70, F. & A. M., was held last night. Officers for 1927 were installed.

Roy H. Waddell was installed as worshipful master. The master elect was installed by his father, Michael Waddell, who himself was installed as master of the lodge 27 years before to the day.

Other officers installed were as follows: David E. Montgomery, senior warden; Alva R. Tennis, junior warden; Charles D. Schaffner, treasurer; James A. Knapp, secretary; Russell A. McEvoy, senior deacon; John E. Davis, junior deacon; Clarence L. Price, senior steward; George E. Waddell, junior steward; Newman J. Riemar, chaplain, and William M. Tracy, tyler.

All of the officers were installed by Past Master George A. Gretser, assisted by Past Master Asa Queen, as marshal.

A social hour followed at which time moving pictures of the annual memorial day visit to the Harding tomb were shown.

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PRESENTS will be most conspicuous by their absence for another 12 months, and, thrilling as it is to tie up and untie the gayly decorated bundles, still, deep down in our hearts we are not altogether sorry that the season of give and get has passed into the shades. Merry is it while it lasts, but for our own sanity we wish not for it to abide one moment longer than its own traditionally appointed time.

Now are the days of barter and exchange upon us.

Mother's stockings were a size too short. Dad's gloves a size too long.

Jack gave us jade beads, when we wanted amber.

Jill's offering was a candlestick when we already have a dozen and badly need book ends.

And so forth and so on, ad infinitum.

In a sane moment, taking stock of our newly acquired possessions, we find that most of them we could really well do without, that few of them are wholly satisfactory, practically or to our sense of the artistic, and we find ourselves turning traitor to sentiment and radically wishing we had kept what we gave away.

Once again running true to form, we resolve to become a member of the Spugs before another Yultide overtakes us.

But, as we said before—

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ENTER the era of exchange. Provided we've craftily ascertained the shops from which they came, back we'll tate the unwelcome whatnots and select others that suit us better. The exceptions to this post-holiday procedure but prove the rule.

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FATE is the champion gift-giver. And the most capriciously generous.

She gives us our relatives.

Has anybody ever found reason to believe that Fate seriously considers the recipient's feelings in the matter when she selects his uncles and his cousins and his aunt?

This is not a diatribe against relatives. Relatives, in the majority, are mighty fine things to have. We couldn't get along without them. The trouble lies with the minority, those relatives whom we can't get along with.

And this will happen in the best regulated families. When it does we find ourselves wishing we could exchange these gifts of whimsical fortune as readily as we do our Yuletide presents.

PRESENT PAGEANT

Young People of Prospect Street M. E. Give Program

Young people of Prospect Street M. E. Church, representing the nations of the world, presented the pageant, "The Perfect Ring," Sunday night at the church. Those taking part were Judson and Wendell Kerr, heralds; Mrs. Paul Sprang, the Christmas Spirit; Miss Alice Schott, angel of good will; Miss Marguerite Alexander, Great Britain; Robert Uphoff, India; Miss Ruth Schott, Catholic Countries; William Schott, Armenia; Miss Frances Reinwald, Protestant Europe; Harry Grosglaus, Turkey; Miss Martha Schweinfurth and Joseph Wanner, United States; John Reidel, Greece; Miss Vesta Mae Schweinfurth, Western Asia; Ira Cowan, American Indian; Dale Hecker, Africa; Vance Harden, China; Miss Esther Reisinger, Japan; Miss Ruth Cowan and Cicero Diehl, Islanders; Miss Freda Wanner, Russia; Mrs. Norma Roszman, Czecho-Slovakia; Fred Haas, Teuton, and Eilliam McKay, Hebrew. The cantata was given under the direction of Mrs. Harry Wilhelm.

At the morning service a program in observance of Christmas was given by the children of the Sunday School, with Harry Wilhelm presiding. At the close of the program the children were given a Christmas treat.

REVIVAL SERMON

Rev. Earl L. Holliday To Preach on "Mighty Prayer"

"Mighty Prayer" will be the subject of the sermon to be preached by Rev. E. L. Holliday at Emanuel Baptist Church tonight in connection with a revival now in progress, which opened there Sunday. Services are held at 7:00 o'clock Sunday nights and each night at 7:30 o'clock during the week with the exception of Monday at which time the evangelistic troupe rests.

A special choir has been organized by S. F. Porter of Chicago, who is in charge of the vocal numbers at each service. Mrs. S. F. Porter accompanies him and acts as pianist. Children's services are held each afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the church.

CONDUCTS EXCHANGE

Minnetonka Council Holds Christmas Party Following Meeting

Members of Minnetonka Council, No. 24, Degree of Pocahontas, held a Christmas exchange following the business meeting last night in the Junior Order Hall. During the meeting one application was received, two applications balloted on and two candidates initiated. Mrs. Laura Boman, Mrs. Ida Uncapher and Mrs. Carsline Myers were appointed to serve on the auditing committee. Plans were made for the installation officers at the next meeting Jan. 10.

THREE WOMEN NAMED ON AUDITING COMMITTEE

Mrs. Nellie Kerr, Mrs. Mae Aller and Mrs. Hazel Jenkins were appointed members of the auditing committee at the meeting of members of Canby Temple, Pythian Sisters, Friday night. Four calls were reported made. It was announced that a number of plants and cards had been sent to shut-in members of the organization. The next meeting will be Jan. 14. Members of the Utility Circle also will meet the afternoon of Jan. 14.

Personal Mention

Harold Wilson, E. Church-st, is visiting friends in Detroit.

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John Dean, of Indianapolis, Ind., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McFarland, E. George-st.

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Ray Navin, student in the University of Detroit, is spending the holidays with friends and relatives in the city.

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Miss Mary O'Connor of Columbus, is enjoying a short vacation at her home, Bradford-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Hochstetter and children of Lorain spent Christmas with relatives in the city.

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Miss Anna Mae Heacock, of Columbus, is a holiday guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Lawson, E. Center-st.

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Howard R. Waters, junior at Case College, Cleveland, is spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Waters, 430 Girard-av.

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Richard Burklew, of Toledo, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Burklew, 412 Cherry-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walton K. Courtright, of Dayton, spent Christmas with Mrs. Courtright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiley, 596 Cherry-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dodds, of Rutherford, N. J., are guests of Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Cook, Patterson-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. Foster Latimore and daughter, Jean, S. Prospect-st, returned home yesterday after spending Christmas with relatives in Portsmouth, O.

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Mrs. Lawrence Case and daughters, Zella and Helen, have returned to their home in Bloominggrove. They were the guests of Mrs. C. E. Warner, N. Prospect-st, mother of Mrs. Case.

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Miss Elizabeth Lyman, of Logan, is spending the holidays with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lyman and daughter, Elva Jean, S. Prospect-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Sager, Windsor-st, have returned from Lorain where they spent Christmas with Mrs. Sager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Leonard. They were accompanied home by their son, Benjamin Sager, student at Western Reserve University. Mrs. Leonard, who sustained a broken right hip in a fall some time ago, is reported to be improving.

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Miss Pearl Crawford, 132 Sharpless-st, and Ward W. McQuate, 801 Oak Grove-av, spent Monday with Mr. McQuate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McQuate at Ashland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roux of DeCh returned home, Sunday after spending Christmas with Mrs. Roux' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Latimore, 366 Blaine-av.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sargent, E. Center-st, have returned home after spending Christmas with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sargent and family of Columbus.

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Arthur Messenger, student in Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, is spending his Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Messenger, 225 Kenmore-av.

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Charles Ackerman has returned to Cleveland after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ackerman, 360 Silver-st. Mrs. Genevieve McDonough, who spent Christmas and the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ackerman and her daughter, Genevieve, of Silver-st, also has returned to her home in Columbus.

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John Fies, of the engineering staff of the General Electric Co., located at Schenectady, N. Y., has returned home after spending Christmas and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Fies, S. State-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Laucher of Delaware, spent Christmas and the week-end with Mrs. Laucher's mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Monroe-st. Clarence Johnson, of Marysville, also was a guest over Christmas of his mother, Mrs. Johnson.

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Mrs. Gertrude Sarnoff, of Detroit, is the holiday guest of Mrs. F. J. Johnson, 495 S. Prospect-st. Miss Sarnoff is a distinguished pianist of Detroit and will be remembered by radio fans as broadcasting from stations WJR and WWJ.

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Aubrey A. Davis, returned yesterday to Wilmington, Del., after spending Christmas and the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. U. S. Davis, S. State-st. Miss Pearl Heebner, of Philadelphia, also was a Christmas guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Davis.

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CHAPTER XXXI

I felt sure that the coach would know that I was not voluntarily remaining away from quarters, but that information would do him no good. In the morning they would run through practice without me which meant that the coach would lay his plans to conduct the game as though I would not play. I was the only decent punter, but our ends were fairly good, our line reasonably strong, but slow, and our backs fine on defense, but without much punch.

Our whole defense was built around my triple threat; too late to change our plans. We would be beaten before the whistle blew. The psychological effect of the disappearance of the captain must be considered. As like as not we would be completely demoralized.

I don't need to tell you that I suffered agonies as I thought of these things. I wiggled and twisted but the bonds were strong; unaided I should never get loose. My captor grinned wickedly at me as he saw my futile efforts.

"I used to be a sailor, kid," he told me. "You haven't got a Chinaman's chance of getting free. Work on them all you want."

At the end of a couple of hours the girl who had admitted me to the apartment entered with a tray of food, which she set on the table. It seemed to me there was a gleam of pity in her eye as she glanced at me, but, as she was a confederate, I knew I could expect no aid from her.

My gambler was kind enough to untie my hands so I could eat a few morsels of food, but naturally I had no appetite. When the meal was concluded, he tied me up again, making an even snugger job of it than he had done in the first place.

I had refrained from making an outcry since it only meant that a gag would be thrust into my mouth and I was uncomfortable enough.

"How many of you are mixed up in this affair?" I asked him, as much for the sake of making conversation as with any hope of getting information.

"Not many. When you have a sure thing you don't let in a crowd. My pal is out placing the bets. My job is to stay with you until the game is over."

"Who is going to watch me while you sleep?"

"I ain't going to sleep, kid. I can stay awake twenty-four hours for what I'm going to clean up on this game. You can go to sleep if you want to, but no nodding for me."

How can I sleep trussed up like this?"

"That's your funeral. Stay awake or sleep, it's all the same to me."

There was silence for half an hour at the end of which time he went to a closet and emerged with a bottle of whisky and a glass.

"Want a drink?" he demanded.

"Certainly not. I'm in training."

"You were in training, but suit yourself."

He poured himself a stiff drink, drew the curtains, put on the electric lights, pulled a table alongside his armchair and made himself comfortable for his vigil.

I relapsed into my unhappiness, brooded over my disgrace, squeezed a few salt tears, and, despite my uncomfortable position, drifted into slumber.

When I awoke it was daylight, quite bright, which meant that it was well after seven o'clock. I was frightfully stiff and sore, but refreshed, nevertheless, from eight hours of the sort of sleep a very young man requires.

My captor sat in his chair, just as I had last seen him. There was a second quart bottle beside the first; evidently he had drunk steadily all through the night.

He was awake though, and favored me with a friendly leer.

"You're some sleeper, kid. I was going to wake you up two or three times for company, but I thought it was a dirty trick."

"Thanks for so much," I said bitterly. The dreadfulness of my situation had come back into my mind with a rush. In five or six hours the game would begin without me in the lineup.

The gambler rose, walked unsteadily to the door and called something that resulted, in a few minutes, in the girl entering with our breakfast which consisted of ham and eggs and coffee. As I had been unable to eat much of anything the night before, the aroma of coffee and the fragrance of the fried ham appealed to my shameless stomach.

The jailor helped me sit up, unwound the rope so that I could use my hands, drew a gun from his pocket, laid it significantly upon the table beside him, ladled out on a plate a portion of the ham and eggs, and handed me my breakfast. He also gave me a cup of coffee. Telling myself that I needed all my strength in case I did make my escape in time for the game, I ate heartily.

My companion simply picked at his food. He had drunk so much that he had no appetite. After I had finished he tied me up very skillfully for a drunken man, and began again at his bottle.

The maid removed the remains of the breakfast. All was as before. The hours marched by in slow and solemn procession. The gambler finished the second bottle, went after a third, and started on that. He was getting very drunk. Somehow I began to hope his drunkenness might help me, though I could not see how.

Along about noon he fell asleep. Then I worked at my bonds with all my strength and with absolutely no results. I could not loosen them. Two hours to the game; each minute from now on would be increasingly anguishing.

At one o'clock the girl came in with lunch. She hesitated when she saw her employer asleep, then set down the tray on a table, went over and shook him violently by the shoulder. I brought him to part of his senses.

"Lunch time already?" he mumbled "All right. I'll loose the prisoner. Last meal on this train, kid."

He staggered over to the bed fumbled with my knots, managed to unfasten them. Then he went back to his chair into which he sank with a flop. He took the gun with his unsteady hand, waved the other hand at the girl and said:

"Give him the whole tray. I don't want to eat again ever."

She laid the tray obediently beside me upon the bed, then made her exit. The gambler had his eye on me; just how much he could see out of it in his condition I did not know, but I had thought of a plan. There were two knives and two forks on the tray. I would conceal one under the sheet, hoping that the girl would take away the tray without noticing that it was missing. I ate more than I wanted, mussed up and disarranged all the dishes, finally pushed the tray away. My friend staggered over, and tied me up again, but this time he did not do so well. He fell over on top of me two or three times.

Eventually the job was done, he returned to his seat, after lifting the tray from the bed and dropping it with a crash on the table. The noise brought in the maid, who cast a look of disgust at him, picked up the tray and retreated.

My plan was based entirely upon the forlorn hope that he would fall asleep again. This he seemed loath to do. He took a couple of more drinks, tried to engage me in talk, then muttered to himself for awhile. I estimated that it must be close to half past one. But he was nodding, nodding, his head fell over on his chest, pretty soon I heard a snore.

My chance had come. I felt for the knife, but had a hard time locating it, since my wrists were fastened at my sides. But, as I pulled at the ropes, they gave a little this time. When I got my fingers on the knife I was able to twist it so that the blade sawed at the rope. The bonds were quarter inch rope, ordinary clothes line. The knife was a steel table knife which hadn't been sharpened for a long time. For a while it didn't seem to be making much impression on the rope but I sawed away steadily, minute after minute, until finally the first strand parted.

Then I started on the second, and then the third, a long job, but it was done at last. My arms were free. I stretched them gratefully, then went at the ropes around by legs and ankles. As I could use the whole strength of my arms, it was the work of a few seconds to part these ropes. I tried to stand up, but fourteen or fifteen hours confinement had sapped the usefulness of my legs. I flopped over on the floor. The noise I made caused the gambler to lift his head and look around. Apparently he did not observe that the bed was empty but sat there blinking. The table holding all the whisky bottles and the gun was about ten feet away. The gun was at his elbow. I began to crawl, noiselessly on my hands and knees towards the table. When I was about two or three feet away he heard me, seemed to recover his senses and fumbled for the handle of the weapon. At the same minute I sprang for him.

He had grasped the gun, but my hand was around his wrist and I was twisting it. He was no match for me, sober, in physical combat, and he was drunk, but I was weakened from my bondage. However after a thrilling couple of seconds the gun dropped from his hand. I gave him a shove, dived for the weapon and came up with it safe, the point towards him.

Continued Tomorrow

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PLAIDS MAINTAIN THEIR POPULARITY IN YOUNGER SET

Plaids maintain their popularity especially for the members of the younger set. Two-piece dresses of combined woolen and velvet or other fabric are seen frequently, and three-piece ensembles of woolens are interesting developments. The two-piece dress pictured is made of taffeta throughout with black blouse and plaid skirt. Tie, cuffs and pockets are also of the plaid.

MARION YOUTH CHOSEN FOR NATIONAL BAND

William L. Dowler Selected To Play in Organization of High Schools

William L. Dowler, student at Harding High School, will be a member of the National High School band which will play at the meeting of educators of the country at Dallas, Texas, next February. The National High School band will be made up of youthful musicians from every section of the country who will gather in Dallas from Feb. 26 until March 3, next year.

At that time the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association will meet in Dallas, and this band will be a feature of the meeting. Selections are made on the basis of musical ability. The band will be a large one, and members of high school bands alone will play in it. It will play under the direction of a nationally known leader.

Dowler is the only youth in Marion to be selected for this honor. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse T. Dowler, 675 Windsor-st.

OAKLAND HEIGHTS CAR STATION WILL REMAIN

City Council Settles Controversy Over Proposed Removal of Stucco Building

The stucco building which has stood at the intersection of Bellefontaine-av and Davids-st during the last 10 years, serving as a shelter for residents of that locality while waiting for street cars, will not be removed, City Council decided at its meeting last night.

This action apparently concludes a controversy which began about two months ago when a proposal to have the building removed was submitted to council, the claim being that because of its location in the center of the thoroughfare it was a menace to the safety of motorists and pedestrians.

Council refused to act until residents of the neighborhood filed a formal request for the building's removal. This request came several weeks ago in a petition signed by 19 Oakland Heights business men. At the next council meeting, a remonstrance signed by 50 other residents came in. Because the number of persons opposing removal of the building represented a decisive majority, the remonstrance was formally approved by council.

An ordinance providing for removal of the structure had been drawn and given a first reading by Council, but this legislation is tabled as a result of last night's action.

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Quicksands of Love

BY ADELE GARRISON

WITH professional celerity Katherine was the first of us to reach the side of swooning Mary Harrison.

"Lay her flat," she directed, "then get some water quickly. The other side of her, girls."

Lillian and I obeyed her, but our services were hardly needed. Youth like Mary's is resilient, and after a few seconds of Katherine's skillful ministration, she opened her eyes and put the time-worn query

"What happened?"

"You keeled over, Kitten," Dicky said, the water from the glass he had brought trickling unheeded over his wrist. "Fainted away! What's the big idea?"

Katherine, Lillian and I exchanged surreptitious and meaning glances. In all our brains was the thought that the unexpected mention of Jack Leslie's name had something to do with her swoon. But it was nothing that we dared to mention, and by tacit consent we kept silent and listened to Dicky's interrogation and his niece's slow, weak, apparently bewildered answers.

Mary Revives

"I don't know, Uncle Dicky, truly I don't," she said, raising her big eyes to his. "One minute I was sitting in my chair listening to you people talking of going to see some masked dancer—was I dreaming or was that what you were talking about?"

Her eyes were limpid pools of ingenuousness, and I mentally commented that if the dancer's name had anything to do with her swooning, she was a most accomplished actress, even this early in her career.

"That was the dope, Mary," Dicky assured her gravely.

"Let me see." She passed her hand weakly over her forehead. "What else can I remember? It seems to me I heard you say that she was dancing with that Mr. Leslie that you call the funny name."

Dicky Humors Mary

"The capering cockroach!" Dicky returned, still using the tone one would employ in humoring the fancies of a sick child. "Your hearing was remarkably good, Mary. What else did you get?"

"I don't remember anything more," she said. "The next I knew there was water on my face and you all were chafing my hands."

"What do you suppose put her out?" Dicky wheeled on us, in true masculine demand for some place to put the blame of the happening. "I'll bet it was the heat. This place is the very devil, anyway. When it was cold in the Spring we nearly froze to death, and now that it's almost Summer, they've got the steam going. What's the answer?"

I smiled at his truculence. "Mrs. Peters told me some of the rooms were damp, so——"

"So she's roasting the rest of us," Dicky retorted. "Why don't you—oh! the windows are open," he finished lamely. "Here, Mary, you mustn't get up."

For the girl had risen to a sitting posture with the evident purpose of getting to her feet.

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Patsy's Patter

Gossip and Guesses in the World of Sport

By Pat Murphy

APPOINTMENT of Bob O'Farrell as manager of the St. Louis Cardinals to succeed Rogers Hornsby, was a wise move on the part of President Sam Breadon. Next to Hornsby himself, O'Farrell was probably the most popular member of the team last year. Voted the most valuable player in the league, he was highly popular with the fans.

It is possible, though hardly probable, that Breadon could have gone outside the team to pick his manager and get better results. But as a sop to the indignation of the St. Louis fans over the release of Hornsby, the president of the Cards could not have made a happier choice.

Popular with fans and players, and a real ball player, O'Farrell should prove to be a successful manager.

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Harvard hopes that with the exceptionally strong schedule it has arranged for next year the football receipts for the season will reach the million-dollar mark for the first time.

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The year which ends this week provided numerous upsets in the sport world. In boxing alone, the championship in every class with but two exceptions changed hands. Jack Dempsey was dethroned by Gene Tunney as heavyweight titleholder. Jack Delaney took the light heavyweight title from Paul Berlenbach. Harry Greb who died later, was detroned by "Tiger" Flowers, who lost his newly won crown to Mickey Walker, who had been deposed as welterweight champion by Pete Latzo. Rocky Kansas, who had taken the lightweight championship from his fellow townsman, Jimmy Goodrich of Buffalo, was defeated by Sammy Mandell of Rockord, Ill. Tod Morgan successfully defended his junior lightweight crown. Charley Phil Rosenberg still claims the bantamweight title, although he is not recognized in Illinois or New Jersey, and is in danger of being blacklisted by the New York Commission for refusing to go through a scheduled bout with Bushy Graham. Fidel LaBarba's flyweight title is safe where it was at the beginning of 1926. The featherweight campionship, since the retirement of Kid Kaplan, is in dispute, with several eastern battlers claiming the title. An elimination series of bouts has been started to determine the real holder of the crown.

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While playing with the Toledo club in 1905, George Moriarty, the new manager of the Detroit Tigers, led the base stealers of the American Association.

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Those who attend the All East-All West football game in the California bowl on New Year's Day will see some of the greatest football players in the country in action. Because the two teams were hastily assembled and are composed of men who did not play together in college, there may be a lack of smooth team work in offense, but to offset that there is likely to be plenty of individual play and some of it of the spectacular sort—just the brand of football that is best calculated to please the majority of the fans.

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Amateur as well as professional sports basked in an increased popular interest during the year 1926. The track and field season was a record-smasher. Golf drew bigger galleries and lured countless thousands to its fairways. Tennis tightened its hold on popular favor. Schoolboy athletics had a boom year, and football exceeded the wildest expectations.

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Claude Grigsby, Georgetown center who was named regular pivot man two years ago, has the record of never having made a bad pass while playing college football. Prior to his instalment as the first-team center Grigsby had just one month's experience at the position.

Coming to Georgetown from the Tilden Tech High School in Chicago, Grigsby spent his first year playing fullback for the Blue and Gray scrub eleven. The following season, when he became eligible for varsity competition, Georgetown was seeking a reliable man at center, Grigsby spent the first month's practice in learning the intricacies of the position. He played in the opening game that year and has played every game since then.

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As a sport, harness racing never has "caught on" in Great Britain, where thoroughbred racing claims the entire attention of turf followers.

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Joe Williams, in his "Nut Cracker" column, says: "There are two reasons why it's hard to believe Cobb and Speaker threw a ball game. One is Cobb. The other is Speaker."

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As a rule ten years is about the limit in the career of a successful jockey. However, there are many notable exceptions. Joe Childs, for instance, had passed his fortieth birthday when he rode Coronach to victory in this year's English Derby.

C., D. & M. Cagers Defeat Commercials, 31-19

Freak Shots Thrill Huge Crowd Which Witnesses Hectic Basketball Affair

C., D. & M. Leads Marion Industrial League as Result of Victory; Railway Service Downs Osgood and Fairfield Engineers Win Battle With Business College in Other Games

BY EDDIE SCHOENLEB
Sports Editor, The Star

THE C., D. & M. and Commercials each carried a horseshoe in the basketball clash last night but Lady Luck smiled more favorably upon the former and the C., D. & M. won the most thrilling of all freak cage games ever staged in the Star Auditorium. The score was 31 to 19.

The final count may indicate a lop-sided affair but all who witnessed the exhibition will testify that it was far from one-sided and that the winner was in doubt until the last minute.

The half ended 13 to 5 with the C., D. & M. leading and all indications pointed to a rather dull second half. The Commercials did not seem to be able to get along while the C., D. & M. acted in sports. Minard managed to accumulate three personal fouls during the initial portion while Doug Torrence was inflicted with two but the Commercials failed to connect from the foul line, making only one point out of many free chances.

Freak Shots

Penry opened the festivities of the second period with a long shot from some place near the center of the floor. The crowd went wild. The Commercials were picking up speed. Another section of rooters, however, responded to the next pretty shot, when Doug Torrence waltzed down the north side of the floor and calmly dropped one through the bucket without touching the rim.

And so it went. One after another freak attempt was successful and the nearest the Commercials came to overtaking their opponents was when they climbed to 18 points while the C., D. & M. were credited with only 24. With the contest almost at an end, the Commercials became over-anxious to drop the ball through the hoop and neglected their defensive game. Phillians scored two field goals in the last three minutes for the C., D. & M. and every Commercial player was across the center of the floor when he received the ball almost directly under the bucket.

Neglect Guarding

The result of the neglectful guarding marked the defeat of the Commercials. The whole team would first rush to one end of the floor in an effort to get the ball and count a couple of points only to be unable to get back in time to stop a C., D. & M. man from making a basket. Both Penry and Applegett played a great basketball game but they could not stop the work of the C., D. & M. cagers, with Doug Torrence, Phillians, and Minard looping them through the hoop from all angles.

As a result of the game, the C., D. & M. quintet heads the Marion Industrial League with four victories and no defeats while the Railway Service and Commercials are tied for second place, having suffered only one defeat each.

Service Defeats Osgood

The Railway Service held its own last night when it smacked the Osgood for a 19 to 14 defeat in the first game of the fifth round. The Fairfield Engineers doubled the score on the Marion Business College lads after getting away to a slow start in the first half. The final score was 18 to 9.

The first half of the Service-Osgood battle ended with Osgood leading 8 to 6. But the second portion of the contest told a different story and the Osgoods fell by the wayside as the Railway Service men passed them in the final minutes of the fray.

Engineers Win

The Fairfield Engineers were leading by only one point, 5 to 4, in the first half of the clash with the Marion Business College but scored a great comeback in the next half and ruined all hopes of the Collegians. Jones was largely responsible for the victory, making as many points single-handed in the final chapter as the Osgood men made all together during the entire game.

Summary:

Railway Service	G.	FT.	F.	TP.
Issler, rf	1	0	0	2
Jonsson, lf	1	0	2	2
Merkle, c	2	1	0	5
Kunkler, c	1	2	2	4
McWhorter, rg	0	1	1	1
Lowe, lg	0	0	0	0
Robbins, lg	2	1	0	5
Totals	7	5	5	19
Osgood	**G.**	**FT.**	**F.**	**TP.**
Lasbey, lg	0	0	0	0
Parr, rg	0	0	3	0
Streets, rg	0	0	0	0
Rhinehart, c	2	1	0	5
Irwin, lf	2	0	1	4
Sheehe, lf	0	0	1	0
Deane, rf	2	1	0	5
Totals	6	2	5	14

Engineers	G.	FT.	F.	TP.
Jones, rf	4	1	0	9
Lingo, lf	2	0	4	4
Fisher, c	0	0	0	0
Peadon, rg	1	3	0	5
Gambol, lg	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	4	4	18
Business College	**G.**	**FT.**	**F.**	**TP.**
Bell, rf	0	0	2	0
Kearn, lf	0	0	3	0
Shults, c	4	0	1	8
Gray, rg	0	1	2	1
Click, lg	0	0	1	0
Totals	4	1	10	9
Commercial	**G.**	**FT.**	**F.**	**TP.**
Geissler, lf	0	1	1	1
Penry, lf	5	0	1	10
F. Robbins, c	1	0	3	2
Applegett, rg	2	0	3	4
"Pat" Yazel, lg	1	0	2	2
Augustine, lg	0	0	0	0
Howison, lg	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	1	10	19
C. D. & M.	**G.**	**FT.**	**F.**	**TP.**
Davis, rf	2	1	0	5
Phillians, lf	5	4	0	14
Minard, c	1	2	3	4
Torrence, rg	4	0	2	8
Miller, lg	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	7	6	31

DUGANS TOPPLE; BRADLEYS LEAD NATIONAL LOOP

Mutuals Bowl Record Scores and Defeat Loop Leaders

Piling up the highest number of points scored in a three-game match in the National League this season, the Midland Mutuals last night took three consecutive games from Jim Dugan's bowlers and stepped into a second place tie with them while Bradley Drugs slipped into first position by defeating Richman's in two out of three contests.

The games last night literally wrecked the standing of the National Bowling League. For the first time this season, Dugans are lodged below the top-notch mark. The Mutuals displayed their power by accomplishing a feat as yet unequaled in the league, that of defeating the league leading Dugans three games.

The first contest went to the Mutuals by only 10 points but the next two games were ruinous to the hopes of Dugans. Mutuals won the second tilt 927 to 844 and copped the final fray 918 to 834. Schuler was highest individual scorer with 230 in the final game while Metz of the Mutuals scored 217 in the second tilt. Shoemaker was high man for Dugans with 205 pins.

Bradleys Drugs came within two points of winning three straight games from Richman's last night. They copped the first two contests with fair margins but dropped the final clash by two points, 815 to 813. Warrick, with 200 points, was high scorer for Bradley's. Richman's star last night was W. Baldauf, who bowled 201 pins.

Summary:

Jim Dugans				
Shriver	126	178	165	505
Rea	119	168	165	452
Axthelm	158	160	198	516
Foster	195	195	...	390
Dummy	...	...	125	125
Shoemaker	205	143	181	529
Totals	899	844	834	2577
Midland Mutual				
Stewart	161	160	179	503
Schuler	190	191	230	611
Thomas	178	173	152	503
Kline	140	184	184	508
Metz	177	219	203	599
Totals	849	927	948	2724
Bradleys				
A. Baldauf	192	161	148	501
Lantz	186	163	126	475
Drumm	149	109	156	405
Betz	182	179	201	562
Warrick	168	200	182	550
Totals	877	806	813	2496
Richmans				
W. Baldauf	201	156	169	526
Lattimore	163	164	147	474
Custer	181	162	162	508
Fahey	122	157	159	438
Shrock	164	157	178	499
Totals	834	796	815	2445

NOTRE DAME AFTER ANOTHER

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 28—It being the open season for hunting, the Notre Dame basketball team is going out to bag a wildcat on Thursday night. The Irish are keen to add Northwestern's scalp to their season's collection, which includes thus far the pelts of Armour Tech, Earlham, Iowa and Minnesota.

ACES CANCEL GAME

The East Side Aces have cancelled their game with the Broadway quintet, schedled for Thursday night. Manager Pearson is delving for a game with Prospect or Green Camp for this week and hopes to hear from managers of these teams before Wednesday night either by letter or telephone.

BOB O'FARRELL WILL LEAD CARDS

JOHNSON ADMITS IRREGULARITIES EXIST YEARS AGO

Other Club Owners Answer Charges of Cobb

BY DAVIS J. WALSH
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New York, Dec. 28—Admission that irregularities, bordering on "shady transactions," were practiced at the gates of some major league ball parks some years ago, was freely made today by Ban Johnson, president of the American League, in a telegram to the writer.

Mr. Johnson's message came in response to charges of "crooked turnstiles" and "other acts of dishonesty" preferred against the owners of big league ball clubs by Ty Cobb in an exclusive interview with Bert Walker, International News Service special correspondent. The league president, who was active in bringing about the recent baseball expose in which the names of Cobb and Tris Speaker figured so prominently, added that "the guilty parties of the turnstile episode had met swift punishment and that today the practice, so far as he knew, was non-existant.

The text of Johnson's frank message follows:

"Some years ago we had some shady transactions at the gates. There was a thorough investigation and the guilty parties were promptly punished. To the best of my knowledge, everything in our organization today is conducted in a clean and orderly manner."

Others Answer Cobb

Owners Phil Ball, of St. Louis; Clark Griffith, of Washington; Charles A. Comiskey, of Chicago; Robert Quinn, of the Boston Red Sox; Emil E. Fuchs, of the Boston Braves, and others answered Cobb in several ways, many expressing a flat denial of his charges.

The exceptions were furnished by John McGraw, Comiskey and Ball. The latter merely declined to permit Cobb to class him "with dishonest and crooked owners," and let it go at that. McGraw declared he felt the official reply should come from Judge Landis.

Welcomes Investigation

Comiskey said he "welcomed" an investigation by anyone in or out of baseball, who believed they possessed evidence of dishonesty. He added that, so far as he was concerned, such an investigation could include the entire personnel of the sport from the highest to the lowest.

Some of the replies to Cobb vouchsafed by club presidents were as follows:

Phil Ball, St. Louis: "Mr. Cobb is mistaken when he puts me in with dishonest and crooked owners, if he said it."

Charles A. Comiskey, Chicago: "If Cobb, or anyone else, in or out of baseball, has any information regarding dishonest acts pertaining to anything in baseball the Chicago club would welcome an investigation now, starting with the owners and including the entire personnel of the complete organization."

Clark Griffith, Washington: "If Cobb made statements credited, I am at a loss to know of any foundation for them. If any irregularities have existed, they are absolutely unknown to me."

Emil E. Fuchs Boston Braves: "Since my entry, I have found baseball beyond reproach. I have full faith in the integrity of player, manager and owner. The ethics and standards of baseball today are higher than in other business or profession, in my judgment. Last fall in Boston, I witnessed players who worked hardest against a club, which, sentimentally, they desired to win the championship."

John Heydler, president of the National League: "I have no comment to make on the charges that Cobb is alleged to have made regarding ticket scandals, except to say that to my knowledge there is nothing in the business conduct of the game by officials and club owners to warrant them."

Movin' On

SAM JONES, one of the few members of the New York Yankees ever to pitch a no-hit game, will wear a new uniform next season as a result of one of the trades pulled off this winter season. He goes to the St. Louis Browns, with Walter Beall, young first baseman, for two players.

SAM JONES

Jones hails from Woodsfield, O., broke into baseball with the Zanesville, O., club, moved to Portsmouth and then was picked up by Cleveland in 1914 and transferred to the American Association team, lifted from Toledo to Cleveland that season. Traded to Boston in April, 1916, with Fred Thomas in Speaker deal.

Traded to the Yanks by Boston in 1922 in wholesale swap. Had his best year in 1923 when he won 21 and lost 8 games. Broke into one world's series with Red Sox and two with New York.

FRIENDS ADVISE TY AND TRIS TO SUE CZAR LANDIS

Stars Will Not Seek Aid from Government, Claim

Washington, Dec. 28—Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker have been advised by certain of their friends to file $1,000,000 damage suits against Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis and the American League because of their being "dropped" from organized baseball.

It was this advice, according to well-founded reports today, that brought the two stars to the national capital together.

They arrived mysteriously yesterday morning, remained closeted in a room all day and departed just as mysteriously last night for Cleveland. If the pair had any idea of enlisting the aid of government agencies in their "fight for vindication," they apparently abandoned it soon after arriving here.

They appeared at no government department, called on no government officials and avoided questions by newspapermen who found them at Union Station last night about to depart for Cleveland. They did have several telephone conversations with friends, however. They were advised that there existed no governmental agency through which they could strike back at organized baseball, except the courts. Several of the senate's legal lights said their only avenue of action lay in personal damage suits.

Cobb and Speaker were accompanied by W. H. Boyd, attorney for Speaker. Reports were current that both Cobb and Speaker would appeal to the Department of Justice to investigate organized baseball.

Would Not Have Case

Government officials declared the baseball stars would not have a case as the Supreme Court has officially decided that baseball was not interstate commerce and therefore not subject to governmental regulation.

"Both Cobb and Speaker should file a civil suit for damages against Kenesaw Mountain Landis and their own league," said Senator Watson, republican, of Indiana, an ardent baseball fan. "As no federal laws were violated, there is no federal jurisdiction over the case and congress can not investigate it. All Cobb and Speaker can do is to go to the courts for redress. They ought to sue for $1,000,000 damages and then if they are innocent, they would be vindicated. Personally, I believe they are innocent of wrong doing."

Alumni and Harding High Quints Clash Wednesday

Basketball stars who have graduated from Harding High in recent years will furnish the opposition for the Harding High varsity basketeers in the second game of the season here Wednesday night. The game will be played in the Star Auditorium and is expected to be a great drawing card.

Harrod Geissler, star Harding High forward for three years and captain of the team last season, will lead the alumni crew in Wednesday night's battle. With him will come the regular team from last year, including John Key, Al Linscott, George Jonsson and Jay McWhorter, assisted by Yazel and Lingo, who broke into the game several times last season.

It is probable that last year's team, intact will face the Harding High varsity at the start of the game Wednesday. Everyone who saw the quintet in action last season will know what to expect.

Team Is Playing

And it will not be a team weakened by lack of practice. It must be remembered that Geissler, McWhorter and Jonsson are playing together this year on the Midway crew. They are more accustomed to each other's playing than they were at the close of the 1925-26 basketball season as a result. Al Linscott received a workout last Friday in the Midway game and Key is always ready for a game. Geissler, McWhorter, and Jonsson are also engaged on an Industrial team this season.

To provide additional entertainment for those who were particularly interested in the outfit that represented Harding High on the basketball court in 1924-25, John Bartram, K. O. Kunkler, and Mendenhall will be on hand and will probably have a chance at the present representatives of their Alma Mater. Bartram is a student at Ohio Wesleyan but is home for the holidays. K. O. has been playing basketball all season on several Marion organizations, and "Mendy" will be on deck.

1923-24 Stars

Going still further back into the history of the school, we find at least three others who will have on a uniform Wednesday night. They are Henry Rinnert, "Pat" Maloney and "Chuck" Schoenlaub, stars of the 1923-24 campaign. Henny has been playing with the Midways all season. "Pat" is studying at Miami University but is home on his Christmas vacation.

There may be others to represent the alumni in addition to those mentioned and the many familiar faces on the floor will add to the pleasure of the fans.

Harding High Ready

Harding High hoopsters will indeed face a strong lineup when they buck up against the team they once cheered on to victory. Coach Baldy Compton put his proteges through the final paces this afternoon in preparation for the tussle Wednesday night. The Harding lads have had only a few practices during the holiday season but feel that they are capable of handling the situation.

Joe Rinnert will probably appear at center and Willey and Gillis may cover the forward positions. Just who the guards will be is rather difficult to decide. Born and Shults may start the contest while McAninch is also a likely starter. Other men seen in action last week in the faculty game may get a chance Wednesday.

The game will be called at 8 o'clock.

INDIANS DEFEAT CLARKSBURG FIVE

Thorpe Not in Game When Redskins Score Victory

World Famous Indians of LaRue, last night played the Clarksburg, W. Va., independent five to a standstill and won the clash, 40 to 27. The largest crowd ever to witness a basketball contest in Clarksburg was on hand for the contest.

Red Fox and Swift Deer were high point men for the Redskins and the former also starred on the defensive. Jim Thorpe missed connections and did not arrive in Clarksburg in time to participate in the battle. He will join the team in Elkins today when the Indians play Davis and Elkins College.

The Indians began a tour of surrounding states a few weeks ago and so far have been successful on their journey.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

New York—Andre Routis, French featherweight champion, outpointed Eddie Anderson, of Wyoming, 10 rounds. Sammy Marlowe, of San Francisco, won decision over Joe Marto, of New York, four rounds.

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Newark, N. J.—Ray Miller, of Chicago, scored technical knockout over Micky Chapin, of Scranton, Pa., ninth round. Harry Martone, heavyweight, of Kearney, N. J., won on a foul from East Black, negro, of Jersey City, eighth round.

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Atlantic City—Joe Kurp, of Shamokin, Pa., won on a foul from Rocky Smith, Battle Creek, Mich., fifth round.

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Louisville, Ky.—Midget Mike O'Dowd, of Columbus, won newspaper decision over Pal Moore, of Memphis, 12 rounds.

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Pittsburgh—Joe Novak, Pittsburgh lightweight, scored technical knockout over Phil Logan, of Jamestown, N. Y., fifth round.

REDS AND CUBS WIN

Take Games In Fourth Round Of Shovel Netball Loop

The Cubs smacked the Braves 52 to 26 and the Reds defeated the Browns 34 to 25 last night in the first game of the fourth round of the Marion Steam Shovel Volleyball League.

The Reds have yet to suffer defeat this season.

The Pirates will battle the Giants and the Tigers will take on the Cards in the final games of the round Friday night.

STAR CATCHER NAMED MANAGE BY SAM BREADO

Gets One-Year Contract Successor of Hornsby

St. Louis, Dec. 28—Bob O'Farrell, catcher of the world's champion St. Louis Cardinals and rated the national league's most valuable player 1926, has been appointed manager of the team for next season.

Announcement of the appointment was made Monday by Sam Breadon, president of the club.

O'Farrell succeeds Rogers Hornsby who piloted the St. Louis club to its first world championship in 10 years.

There was no announcement as to salary, but the contract was for one year only.

Appointment Expected

O'Farrell joined the Cardinals shortly after the 1925 season opened, coming from the Chicago Cubs. He had been the Cubs' mainstay behind the plate for eight or nine years.

He was 30 years old Oct. 19 and unmarried.

Appointment of the popular catcher was regarded as one of the spark which kept the Cardinals' pennant moving to a world's championship, having been excepted for several days.

The way was paved for his promotion by the trade which sent Hornsby to the New York Giants in exchange for Frank Frisch, star second baseman of the McGraw outfit, and Jimmy Ring, a pitcher.

RENO GETS DECISION

Trenton, N. J.—Joe Reno, Trenton welterweight won newspaper decision over Jose Gose, negro, also of Trenton, 10 rounds. Blas Rodriguez, Mexican flyweight won newspaper decision over Tommy Dundee, of Camden, 10 rounds.

RUTH GRID STAR?

San Francisco, Dec. 27—Babe Ruth, who hits them far and wide for the New York Yankees, but who is now an actor of parts, will drop both roles to don what he works out with the football stars of the East and West. The Bambino will first work out with the coast athletes; then, if the going hasn't been too rough, he will practice with the western stars. The two teams will meet here on New Year's Day.

Although Kemal Pasha recently visited on Turkish women coming out of their age-long seclusion and dancing in public, Turkish susceptibilities have not been able to stand the Charleston. It has, consequently, been forbidden at all public dances.

Dr. Jennie C. Murphy of Yankton, S. Dak., was the first woman State Commissioner in the world.

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Jubilee's Pardner

A Story of Boyhood Adventures

BY JUDD MORTIMER LEWIS

I [illegible] were my overcoat to bed [illegible] since Christmas, and Jubilee [illegible] liked it so very well, because [illegible] not snuggle up and he would [illegible] as warm as he used to, so last [illegible] unbuttoned it and then but- [illegible] around both of us and it felt [illegible] cool, and I was almost asleep [illegible] he woke me up trying to crawl [illegible] the collar, and then I heard [illegible] on the stairs, and I pulled the [illegible] up with one hand and pulled [illegible] backwards by the tail with the [illegible], and he got out and under [illegible] time, and my mother came in [illegible] the light.

When I asked her: "What you want, [illegible] she said she just thought she would come up and see if I was all right because I am the only man child she got. So she kissed me good- [illegible] and then she saw the overcoat [illegible] and kissed me again, and said she was glad I was having such a happy childhood. I wonder how she knew that way. If she had two cows to [illegible] an ant and wanted long [illegible] and wasn't let bring her dog in [illegible] I bet she wouldn't thing she was having a happy childhood.

When we were eating breakfast the [illegible] bell rang, and my mother answered it, and she turned around to the table and said: "It is the minister's wife," and then she talked and they must have said something about Annabelle Lee because my mother told her how fast she is learning to talk and to wait a minute and she would have her say hello to her, so she carried the high chair over to the telephone and told her to say hello, but she kept looking back and wanting to come back to the table and eat, and finely my mother hissed at her "Say hello, you bonehead!" So all at once Annabelle Lee hollered as loud as she could, "Hello, you bonehead!" and when my mother went to tell how it happened the minister's wife had rung off, so my mother had to go over there right after breakfast.

I asted my grandfather if he had ever shot a chinchilly like my overcoat is made of, and he said he didn't like to shoot them because it made holes in their skins but he had trapped hundreds of them. He said when they are trapped they give a piteous cry something like a whifflesnook calling to its young. Then he saw my ant looking at him scornful and he said, "You thought it was some kind of a cloth didnt' you?" and she said: "No, I was thinking that you are all kinds of a lire." I skun out then before I got blammed for something.

Daily Bedtime Story

BY HOWARD GARIS

Uncle Wiggily and His Friends

One day, between Christmas and New Year's Uncle Wiggily was sitting in his hollow stump bungalow, looking out of the window, when he saw, skidding along on the snow in front, the lady Mouse Teacher from the Hollow Stump School.

"My goodness!" exclaimed the bunny gentleman, rubbing his pink twitchy nose to make sure he was seeing straight.

"What's the matter?" asked Mrs. Longears.

"There's the Lady Mouse Teacher," answered the bunny gentleman. "She must have come after some of our forty-seven little bunnies. They have forgotten to go to school and the teacher has come after them!"

"Nonsense!" laughed Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper. "There is no school Christmas week!"

"Oh, that's so—I forgot!" said Uncle Wiggily, and when the Lady Mouse came in she laughed when told what Mr. Longears had said.

"I didn't come for any of the children," she squeaked. "I came for you, Uncle Wiggily."

"For me? Have I been bad? Didn't I know my lesson?" asked the bunny gentleman, pretending to be frightened.

"I want you to come calling with me on poor old Lady Mouse who used to be teacher in the Hollow Stump school before I came there," said Miss Mouse. "The old mouse lady is lonely. All her former pupils have forgotten her, and I am fraid she did not have very jolly Christmas. I am taking her some presents. When she taught school she always hung wreaths of pine holly and its red berries in the windows to remind the children of Christmas. But now she has no wreaths."

"She is going to have one wreath at least!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily, as he looked at a large one over his mantel. "I will go with you, Miss Mouse, and we will take this poor old teacher some Christmas joy."

"I thought you would," said the Lady Mouse Teacher from the Hollow Stump school.

Nurse Jane and Mrs. Longears put up a basket of good things to eat for the old Lady Mouse Teacher and Uncle Wiggily took down the big Christmas wreath. Then he and the new Lady Mouse went over the fields and through the woods.

"How kind and good you are!" murmured the old Lady Mouse when she saw the good things. "And how pretty it is to see a Christmas wreath again," and she was happy, thinking of the time when she was young. Uncle Wiggily and young Miss Mouse remained as long as they could, and then they went home, different ways, Miss Mouse to her little flat and Uncle Wiggily to his bungalow.

But the rabbit gentleman had not gone far before, all of a sudden he felt such a rheumatism pain in his leg that he couldn't take another hop. He just had to sit down on a flat stump.

"And what I am going to do I don't know," said the rabbit gentleman to himself. "I didn't bring my red, white and blue striped rheumatism crutch. I haven't even a candy cane and how am I to limp along I don't see! Oh, dear!"

While he was sitting there, along came hopping the Fuzzy Fox. The bad chap knew at once that something was wrong with Uncle Wiggily, and when the bunny groaned the Fox snickered and said:

"Ha! You have rheumatism, haven't you? You can't run! Now I can nibble your ears!"

Uncle Wiggily had to think very quickly, and he made up a trick to fool the bad chap.

"Oh, Mr. Fox," said the bunny, "I forgot to wash my ears this morning. Now you wouldn't want to nibble any ears that aren't washed, I am sure. Let me go home and wash my ears, please. I can't walk, but I can sit on your fuzzy backs and ride. Do that for me—ride me home."

"All right," growled the Fox. "As you say, I don't want to nibble dirty ears. I'll wait until you wash yours." So Uncle Wiggily sat on the back of the Fox and rode safely to the bungalow.

"Wait here for me!" said the bunny

Uncle Wiggily rode on the back of the Fox.

leaping off the back of the Fox and hopping inside where he closed and locked the door. "Wait here." And if that Fox hadn't gotten tired and gone away he would be waiting yet! Ha! Ha! For do you think Uncle Wiggily washed his ears and went out so the Fox could nibble them? Indeed he didn't! Once in his bungalow, the bunny stayed there until the Fox grew tired of waiting and scurried away.

So this teaches us that it is a good thing to be clever. And if the milk bottle doesn't moo lie a cow and make the loaf of bread laugh, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the stickery balls.

In Natrona County, Wyoming, more women than men fill county offices.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

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You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or catarrh will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will open. The air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more dullness, headache; no hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge or dryness; no struggling for breath at night.

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BRINGING UP FATHER — BY GEORGE McMANUS

SAY-ED · WILL YOU GIVE MY WIFE'S BROTHER A JOB? HE'S A GOOD CHAUFFEUR · I'D LIKE TO GIT HIM A JOB IN THAT LINE!
BY JOVE-JIGGS · I JUST LET A MAN GO SO I CAN PUT HIM RIGHT TO WORK
HELLO-MAGGIE · I'VE GOT YOUR BROTHER A JOB · SEND HIM DOWN TO 1128 HOOFIT STREET · I'LL BE WAITIN' FOR HIM!
FINE!
NOW COME ON IN AN' MEET YOUR BOSS · DON'T LOOK SO DUMB · YOUR FAMILY ALL LOOK ALIKE!
HUH?
I'M SORRY · JIGGS · THAT'S THE GUY I JUST FIRED!
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BARNEY GOOGLE — THE HAUNTED CAN — BY BILLY DE BECK

QUICK, SOAPY! HOP IN DIS MILK TRAIN AND WE KIN MAKE A GET A WAY — NO CAE'S LOCKIN
C'MON! DERE'S DE WHISSLE! HUSSLE, JOE!
SOUTH
3100
$100 FER ME · $100 FER YOUSE · $100 FER ME
$100 FER YOUSE AND $100 FER ME
MILK
SAY, PEEVERS · IF I'M NOT TOO INQUISITIVE —
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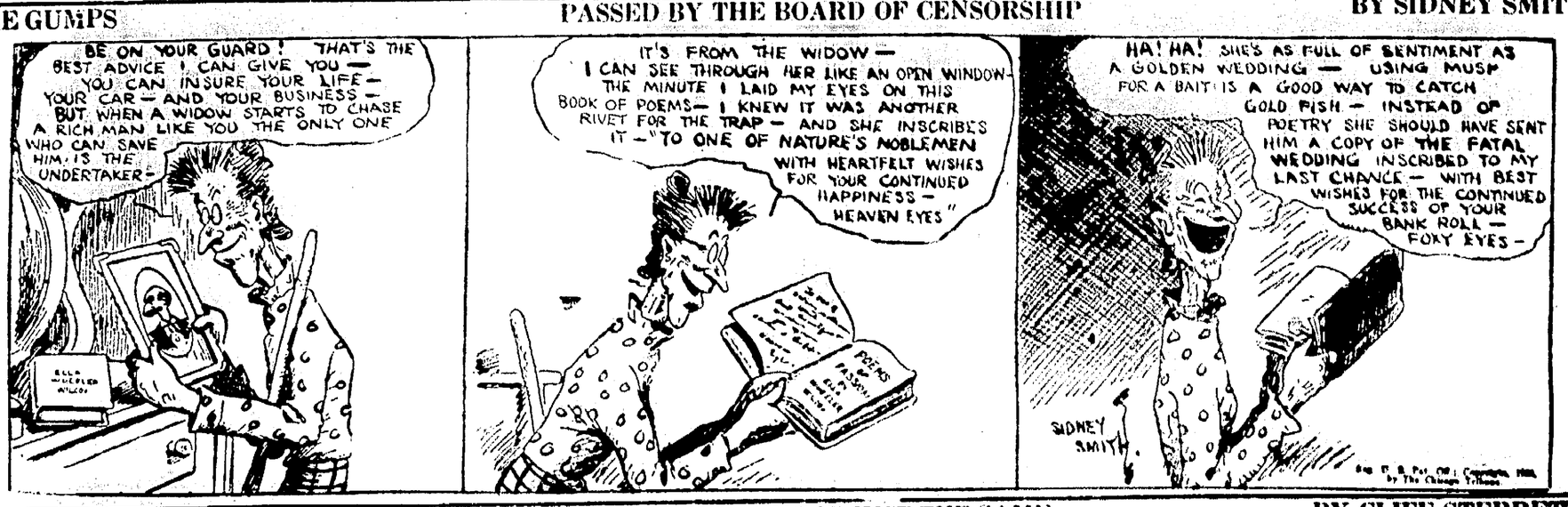
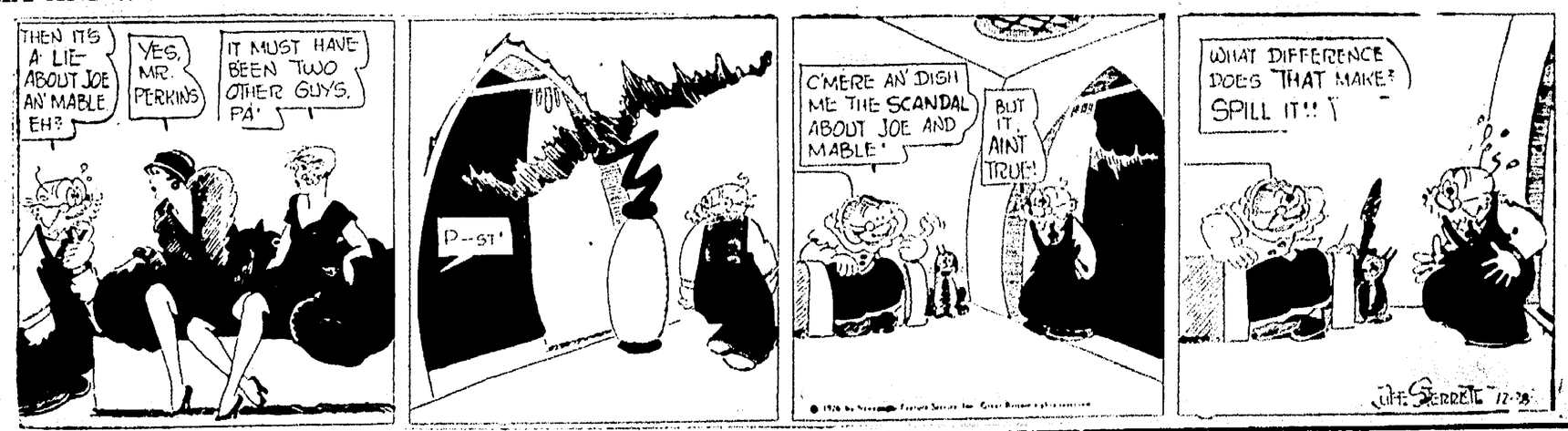
MILK
HEY!
MILK
DEBECK

THE GUMPS — PASSED BY THE BOARD OF CENSORSHIP — BY SIDNEY SMITH


BE ON YOUR GUARD! THAT'S THE BEST ADVICE I CAN GIVE YOU — YOU CAN INSURE YOUR LIFE — YOUR CAR — AND YOUR BUSINESS — BUT WHEN A WIDOW STARTS TO CHASE A RICH MAN LIKE YOU THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN SAVE HIM · IS THE UNDERTAKER —
IT'S FROM THE WIDOW — I CAN SEE THROUGH HER LIKE AN OPEN WINDOW — THE MINUTE I LAID MY EYES ON THIS BOOK OF POEMS — I KNEW IT WAS ANOTHER RIVET FOR THE TRAP — AND SHE INSCRIBES IT — "TO ONE OF NATURE'S NOBLEMEN WITH HEARTFELT WISHES FOR YOUR CONTINUED HAPPINESS — HEAVEN EYES"
POEMS OF PASSION
HA! HA! SHE'S AS FULL OF SENTIMENT AS A GOLDEN WEDDING — USING MUSH FOR A BAIT IS A GOOD WAY TO CATCH GOLD FISH — INSTEAD OF POETRY SHE SHOULD HAVE SENT HIM A COPY OF THE FATAL WEDDING INSCRIBED TO MY LAST CHANCE — WITH BEST WISHES FOR THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF YOUR BANK ROLL — FOXY EYES —
SIDNEY SMITH

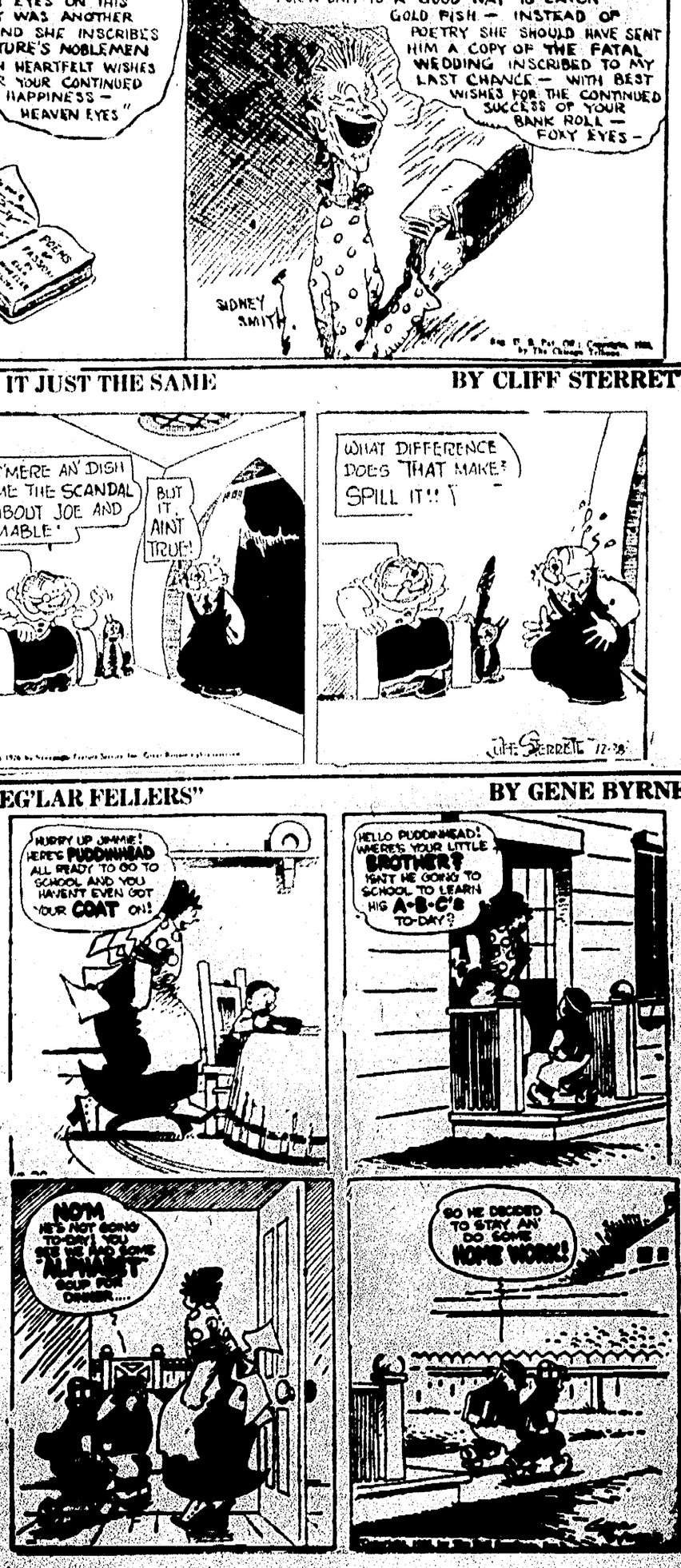
POLLY AND HER PALS — MAW'LL ENJOY HEARING IT JUST THE SAME — BY CLIFF STERRETT


THEN IT'S A LIE ABOUT JOE AN' MABLE EH?
YES, MR. PERKINS
IT MUST HAVE BEEN TWO OTHER GUYS, PA'
P-ST!
C'MERE AN' DISH ME THE SCANDAL ABOUT JOE AND MABLE!
BUT IT AIN'T TRUE!
WHAT DIFFERENCE DOES THAT MAKE? SPILL IT!!
CLIFF STERRETT 12-28

PENNY ANTE — GETTING THEIR SECOND WIND — BY JEAN KNOTT

HEY, EDDIE! - DON'T GO YET! - IT'S COMMENCIN' AGAIN!
I DON'T WANT T'BE NO PIKER CASHIN' IN TH' CHICKEN FEED! - I'LL PLAY YOU ONE HAND FOR TH' ODD CHIPS!
THERE IT STARTS ALL OVER
SETTLE UP NOW OR YOU WON'T GET ANYTHING!
LET US ALONE A MINUTE! - I'LL DEAL JUST ONE HAND, FACE UP!
LET ME IN ON THIS!

"REG'LAR FELLERS" — BY GENE BYRNES


HURRY UP JIMMIE! HERE'S PUDDINHEAD ALL READY TO GO TO SCHOOL AND YOU HAVEN'T EVEN GOT YOUR COAT ON!
HELLO PUDDINHEAD! WHERE'S YOUR LITTLE BROTHER? WON'T HE BE GOING TO SCHOOL TO LEARN HIS A-B-C'S TO-DAY?
NOW HE'S NOT GOING TO-DAY! YOU SEE HE HAD SOME ALPHABET SOUP FOR DINNER....
SO HE DECIDED TO STAY AN' DO SOME HOME WORK!

BUGHOUSE FABLES

ARE YOU SURE I'M NOT KEEPING YOU AWAY FROM YOUR DIRECTORS' MEETING?
OH, THEY CAN WAIT..... NOW WHAT WERE YOU SAYING ABOUT THAT POLICY YOU WANT ME TO BUY?
THANX TO SIDNEY LOEB
12-28

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Want Ads

The Marion Daily Star

PHONE 2314

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1 insertion 9 cents per line.
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will sell any variety of apple, peach, pear, plum; all varieties of small fruits, shade trees, shrubbery. All State inspected. Planting service if wanted. Phone 16522.

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FOR A FIRST CLASS MARCEL
For 50c
Call 7339 542 Marion-st
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BLACK TRAVELING BAG — On Delaware pike between Waldo and Marion Sunday night. Finder please return to 625 W. Columbia. Reward. D. Pemberton.

LOST—Large brown and white spotted dog. Phone 5080. Reward.

LADYS BLACK SILK PURSE—Christmas eve. Phone 6585. Reward.

PAIR GLASSES—In case between 1023 W. Center and Hotel Harding Thursday evening. Liberal reward. Box 160 care of Star.

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FARM HAND

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WANTED — Lung sufferers to try Lower's Prescription for bronchitis, asthma, severe coughs and colds. Especially wonderful for that cough that causes worry. Don't delay. Sold by druggists. Manufactured by C. & I. Lower, Chemists, Marion, Ohio.

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80 ACRE FARM—Fine buildings, good fences on improved road and near markets. Box 161 care of Star.

STORE ROOM—Large and well lighted. Second floor, S. Main-st. Phone 5133.

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ROOMS

FURNISHED ROOMS — For light housekeeping and sleeping rooms in uptown district. Private entrance. Phone 9012 or rear 207 W. Center.

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E. CHURCH ST.—Duplex. Five rooms, individual furnace, garage, close in. Reasonable rental.

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$25.
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Two acres with modern 6 room home. New. Close in on good pike. Priced right.
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A big list of good modern and moderate priced properties, good locations.
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Seven room, strictly modern house on Merkel. Trade for farm.
We have homes in all parts of Marion for sale on payment plan.

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Have a good modern home east, to exchange for a cheaper property. Have several good farms for sale or exchange Priced right. Call or see

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Local cars to Delaware only leave at 10:00 p. m. and 11:35 p. m., 6:00 p. m. daily.
Capital Express to Columbus, week days only, 8:00 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 3:00 p. m., and 6:00 p. m., Parlor car leaving here at 8:00 p. m. only goes to Delaware.
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Northbound—Cars leave for Bucyrus at 7:15 a. m., 9:15 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 1:15 p. m., 3:15 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 7:15 p. m., and 9:30 p. m.
Southbound—Cars leave Bucyrus for Marion at 8:05 a. m., 10:05 a. m., 12:05 p. m., 2:05 p. m., 4:05 p. m., 6:05 p. m., 8:05 p. m. and 10:15 p. m.

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Leave Marion at 7:10 a. m., 9:10 a. m., 11:10 a. m., 1:10 p. m., 3:10 p. m., and 5:10 p. m., for Caledonia, Iberia, Galion and Mansfield.
Leave Marion for Mt. Gilead every two hours from 7:10 a. m., to 6:10 p. m.
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Leave for Kenton and Lima every hour from 7:00 a. m., to 5:00 p. m.; 6:00 p. m. to Kenton only. Starts from Union Bus Station, 116 N. State-st.

WOLFE-GAULKE BUS LINE

Leaves Marion for Richwood, Magnetic Springs, and Marysville each day at 8:00 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., and 4:00 p. m. Starts from Rumfort Hotel, N. State-st.

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Leaves Marion for Mt. Gilead and Mt. Vernon 7 and 10 a. m., 2 and 5 p. m. Sundays at 10 a. m., 5 p. m. Starts from Hotel Rumfort, N. State St.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO, WESTERN DIVISION. IN BANKRUPTCY.

To the Creditors of Ivy M. Converse of Marion, in the county of Marion and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:
Notice is hereby given that on December 21, 1926 the said Ivy M. Converse was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of creditors will be held in Marion, Ohio, at the Court House, on December 31, 1926, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time said creditors may attend prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Note—Bankruptcy form must be used.
H. D. GRINDLE
Dec. 28 Referee in Bankruptcy.

NOTICE OF SALE OF CARS

One Overland Touring Car Motor No. 1255 and one Mitchell Touring Car to be sold for storage and repair at Michels Garage, Waldo, Jan. 19.
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Government Investigation May Be Ordered into Source of Rum

New York, Dec. 28—With 23 persons ... from poison liquor, more deaths were expected today among the 80 men ... women in various hospitals suffering from denatured alcohol poisoning contracted during the Christmas holiday celebration.

Following autopsies upon some of the victims, Chief Medical Examiner Norris announced that government chemists had doctored alcohol with such poisons as pyridine, diethylphthalate, formalin and bichloride in an effort to make it unfit to drink. It was these poisons, Dr. Norris said, that the bootlegger was unable to remove through redistillation.

Federal Prohibition Administrator Chester P. Mills defended the government's course and said that he would not be surprised to see more casualties after the New Year's eve celebration.

A government investigation may be ordered in an effort to locate the source of the poison rum which wrought such havoc in the New York district.

Dr. Alexander O. Getler, chief toxicologist of Bellevue Hospital, who examined the bodies of 11 of the victims of the fatal gin and whisky, said that death in these cases had been due to ethyl—not wood alcohol.

The death list now exceeds that of last Christmas.

HERMAN GEHRING BETTER

Herman Gehring, who was injured when he fell in a manhole at the Steam Shovel Co., where he is employed, Sunday, was removed from City Hospital to his home, 793 Cheney-av, today. His condition is reported good.

DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL

Ray Coykendall, who underwent a major operation at City Hospital recently, has been removed to his home, Fountain-st. His condition is reported better.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

James Henry Law, 316 Lee-st, underwent an operation for appendicitis at City Hospital this morning.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO, WESTERN DIVISION. IN BANKRUPTCY.

... Creditors of William P. Cox ... Marion in the county of Marion district aforesaid, a bankrupt ... is hereby given that on December 21st, 1926, the said William P. ... was duly adjudicated bankrupt ... that the first meeting of ... will be held in Marion, Ohio, ... Court House, on December 31st, ... o'clock in the afternoon, at ... said creditors may attend, ... their claims, appoint a trustee, ... the bankrupt, and transact ... business as may properly ... before said meeting.

H. D. GRINDLE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dec. 21, 28.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No. 19345.

... Isabella Lantz, Plaintiff,
vs.
L. D. Lantz, Defendant.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday the 22nd day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, and in the Township of Tully, to-wit, and known as being a part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township four (4) south range seventeen (17) east, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east line of the west half of the northwest quarter of said section thirty-three (33), Township four (4) south range seventeen (17) east at Louie Tenant's southeast corner, thence south parallel to the north and south half section line of said section thirty-three (33), a distance of fourteen (14) chains and seventy-four (74) links to the east and west half section line of said section thirty-three (33); thence west on said half section line twenty (20) chains and three (3) links to the southeast corner of James H. McKinstry's land; thence north on said James H. McKinstry's east line fourteen (14) chains and seventy-four (74) links to the southwest corner of Louie Tenant's land in section number thirty-two (32) in said Township and range aforesaid; thence east parallel to the east and west half section line, and on the south line of Louie Tenant's land, twenty (20) chains and one-half (½) links to the place of beginning, containing twenty-nine and one-half (29½) acres of land.

Said Premises Appraised at One Thousand, Three Hundred and twenty-seven ($1,327.00) Dollars, and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale. Dated: Marion, Ohio, Dec. 18, 1926.

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff, Marion County, Ohio.
H. E. Hill, Attorney.
Dec. 21, 28, Jan. 4, 11, 18.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No. 19426.

The Harriman National Bank of the City of New York, Plaintiff,
vs.
John R. Dugger, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 15th day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, and in the City of Marion and bounded and described as follows:

Situated in the City of Marion, County of Marion and State of Ohio, to-wit: and known as being Lot Number One Hundred and forty-five (145) in the Original Plat of the Town, now City of Marion, Ohio, said Lot Number One Hundred and fifty-nine (159) in Henry Peters Addition to the Town, now City of Marion, Ohio, the new number thereof being Two Hundred and Fifty-eight (258), be the same more or less, but subject to all legal highways.

Said land above described being located at No. 235-247 on the West side of South Main Srteet and known as The Trimbull Flats, between Church St. and E. Pleasant St.

Said Premises Appraised at Ninety-six Thousand, Six Hundred ($91,600.00) Dollars and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale. Dated: Marion, Ohio, Dec. 13th, 1926.

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff, Marion County, Ohio.
C. C. Fisher, Attorney.
Dec. 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4, 11.

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No. 19405.

The Marion County Bank Company, Plaintiff,
vs.
Depew Head, et al, Defendants.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 15th day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, and in the Township of Grand Prairie and bounded and described as follows:

Being the northwest quarter of Section fourteen (14), and the northwest Quarter of the northeast Quarter of Section fourteen (14), Township four (4) south range fifteen (15) east, containing two hundred (200) acres, excepting (45) acres, forty (40) rods east and west by twenty (20) rods north and south, out of the southwest corner of said northwest quarter.

Also the east two hundred and forty (240) acres of section fifteen (15), in Township four (4) South range fifteen (15) east, in all four hundred and thirty-five (435) acres.

The above land being located on the Section Road, in Grand Prairie Township, Marion County, Ohio.

Said Premises Appraised at Thirty-four Thousand, Eight Hundred ($34,800.00) Dollars and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale. Dated: Marion, Ohio, Dec. 11th, 1926

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff, Marion County, Ohio.
C. C. Fisher, Attorney.
Dec. 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4, 11.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No. 19376.

Francis D. Moxley, Plaintiff,
vs.
Alma Black, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 8th day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion, said State of Ohio, and in the City of Marion, to-wit:

Tract No. 1:

Lot Number Five Thousand and seventy-seven (5,077) in Glenwood addition to Marion, Ohio. Said lot being located on the east side of Latourette Street, fourth lot north of Brown Avenue and seventh lot south of Jackson Avenue, 40 x 144 feet.

Tract No. 2:

Also situated in the Township of Marseilles, County of Wyandot and State of Ohio, to-wit: Being the east half (½) of the northeast quarter of Section Number Ten (10), Township Number Four (4) South, Range Number Thirteen (13) East, containing Eighty (80) acres of land, more or less, in Marseilles Township, Wyandot County, Ohio. Said land being located one mile north and two miles east of Marseilles, Wyandot County, Ohio.

Said Premises Appraised as follows: Tract No. 1 appraised at $150.00; Tract No. 2 appraised at $2,500.00 and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale. Dated Marion, Ohio, Nov. 19, 1926.

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff of Marion County, Ohio.
Marker, Terwilliger, Circleville, O.,
Attorneys.
Dec. 7, 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion Count, Ohio. Case No. 19278.

Laura M. Neuman, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jacob J. Neuman, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale in partition issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 8th day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, and in the City of Marion, to-wit:

And known as Lot Number Three Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty-Three (3,353) in Bellevue Addition to the City of Marion, Ohio.

Said Premises Appraised at Two Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale. Dated: Marion, Ohio, Dec. 1st, 1926.

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff of Marion County, Ohio.
H. E. Hill, Attorney.
Dec. 7, 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No. 19415.

The Citizens Building & Loan Company, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jasper J. Graham, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of an Order of Sale issued from said Court to me directed in the above entitled action, I will expose to sale, at public auction, at the west door of the Court House in Marion, Marion County, Ohio, on Saturday the 22nd day of January, 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of Marion and State of Ohio, and in the City of Marion, to-wit: and described as follows, viz:

Being Lot No. Three Thousand and twenty-three (3023) in Joseph Uncapher's First Addition to Marion, Ohio, known as Eden Park Addition to Marion, Ohio.

The above described real estate being located at No. 687 Wood Street, between Uncapher and Davids Streets on the south side of said Wood Street.

Said Premises Appraised at Thirty-five Hundred ($3,500.00) Dollars, and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of the appraisement.

Terms of Sale: Cash on day of sale Dated Marion, Ohio, Dec. 18th, 1926.

JAMES A. DEAL,
Sheriff, Marion County, Ohio.
J. W. Jacoby, Attorney.
Dec. 21, 28, Jan. 4, 11, 18.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT

Clyde M. Swartz, whose place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, is hereby notified that the undersigned on December 6, 1926, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, Case No. 19527, praying for a divorce on ground of gross neglect, and that said cause will be heard on or after January 18, 1927.

HELEN B. SWARTZ.
Dec. 7, 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4, 11.

MRS. LOUISE E. DURTSCHE STOMACH CANCER VICTIM

Death Follows Illness of Four Months; Funeral To Be Wednesday

Mrs. Louise Elizabeth Durtsche, 60, died at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at her home, 518 Mound-st, following a four months illness of cancer of the stomach and complications.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home, 518 Mound-st, and at 2 o'clock at the Emanuel Lutheran Church in charge of Rev. J. W. Schillinger, pastor. Burial will be made in Marion Cemetery.

Mrs. Durtsche was born in Dodernair, Germany, Nov. 20, 1866 and came to this country, locating in Galion, O., at the age of 14. She is the daughter of Mrs. Louise Marie Achenbach, her father's given name not being know here. She was united in marriage to Fred Durtsche May 21, 1891 in Galion and was a member of the Emanuel Lutheran Church of that city.

Surviving are her father, located in Germany; her husband, Fred Durtsche, at home; two daughters, Mrs. R. B. Levien, 518 Mound-st, and Miss Marguerite Durtsche, of Cleveland; two sons, Carl W. Durtsche, 400 E. George-st, and Fred Durtsche, Jr., 886 Henry-st; two sisters and three brothers living in Germany and 10 grandchildren. Her mother, and one daughter, Mrs Elmer Keck, preceded her in death.

REFUNDS ARE MADE

More Than $174,000,000 Illegally Collected, Mellon Reports

Washington, Dec. 28—The government has refunded $174,120,177.24 in taxes illegally collected, Secretary of the Treasury Mellon declared today in a report to the house.

A total of 287,000 tax payers benefited by the refunds.

The heaviest refunds were in the last fiscal year, $114,000,000, with $58,000,000 in the 1926 fiscal year.

IMPROVING

Truman Dille has been removed from City Hospital, where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, to his home, 242 Lincoln-av. He is reported improving.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Charles Norris, Marion, Route 6, was removed to City Hospital yesterday as he is suffering from a serious illness of grippe. His condition is reported good today.

NOTICE TO LANDOWNERS

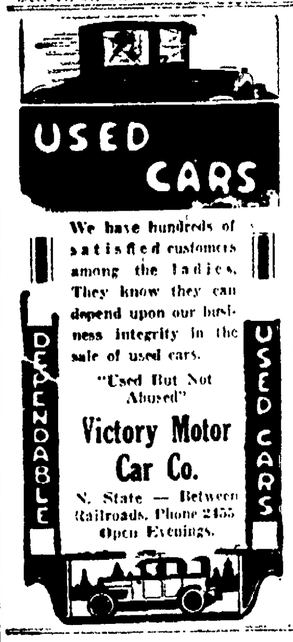
Notice is hereby given that Ed Klingel and 13 other freeholders residing in the vicinity of the proposed improvement, have filed their petition with the County Commissioners of Marion County, Ohio, praying for the vacation of a public road described as follows:

"Beginning at what is known as the Berringer Road in Section 30, Richland Township, West of the Whetstone River; thence north to the South end of the Cemetery located on the East side of said road, about forty (40) rods."

The Board of Commissioners of Marion County, Ohio, has fixed Wednesday, January 5, 1927, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., Eastern or local time, on the site of the proposed vacation as the time and place for a view thereof and Saturday, January 15, 1927 at ten o'clock A. M., Eastern or local time, at the office the Commissioners in Marion, Ohio, as the time and place for a final hearing on the petition.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of Marion County, Ohio, dated December 11, 1926.

T. A. O'LEARY,
Clerk of Board.
Dec. 14, 21, 28.



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Jan. 26 and Feb. 28, 1927 from New York

Memories of pirates, rich galleons, buried treasures. Bermuda, Cuba, Panama, Venezuela. A month's cruise on the luxurious liner, Montroyal, 23,500 tons displacement, the Empress of the West Indies. One management—ship and shore. Canadian Pacific Express Travellers' Cheques good the world over.

Further information from local steamship agents or

M. E. Malone, General Agent, Canadian Pacific, 201 Dixie Terminal Bldg., 4th and Walnut St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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WORLD'S GREATEST TRAVEL SYSTEM

TWO MEN ARRESTED ON INTOXICATION CHARGES

Paul Harris, 31, of Scranton, Pa., and C. J. Boncoir, 40, of Cleveland, were arrested last night by local police on intoxication charges. Harris was taken into custody on W. Center-st near Garden-st shortly after 4:30 o'clock this morning and Boncoir was arrested near the Ford garage about 8 o'clock last night. Both were to be arraigned today before Mayor Earl M. Hazen.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS ITS SUPERINTENDENT

George F. Lashey Named Head of Wesley M. E. Church Department

George F. Lashey was elected superintendent at the regular meeting of the official board of the Wesley M. E. Church Sunday School at the church Sunday. Albert E. Grant was elected assistant superintendent; B. G. Wetteraner, secretary; Homer Moehn, assistant secretary; A. W. Leonhardt, treasurer; William H. Pace, assistant treasurer; Mrs. R. W. Kauble, choirister; Miss Florence Upton, pianist; Miss Crystal Orr, assistant pianist; Mrs. J. R. Smith, superintendent of missions; Mrs. Rosa Cluff, assistant superintendent of missions; Mrs. William H. Pace, superintendent of the home department; Mrs. J. C. Latimore, assistant superintendent of the home department; Miss Minnie Hoover, superintendent of temperance; Mrs. R. G. Smallwood, assistant superintendent of temperance; Miss Carrie Bain, superintendent of the primary department; Mrs. Fred Upton, assistant superintendent of the primary department; Mrs. Evelyn Strawser, superintendent of the kindergarten department; Mrs. G. H. Wetteraner and Mrs. Grace Streets, assistants superintendents of the kindergarten department; Miss Mollie Thompson, superintendent of the cradle roll department; Mrs. Jennie Eaton, Mrs. Armeda Adams, Mrs. Albee, Grant and Mrs. O. E. Call, assistant superintendents of the cradle roll department, and Newman Riemer, superintendent of the junior department.

CAR STOLEN

A message received at local police headquarters today requested officers here to watch for a 1922 Chevrolet sedan, Ohio license number 179 452, reported stolen at Ontario, last night. The message stated that the car was taken by three negroes.

TAKEN HOME

E. L. Glatz, 344 E. Center-st, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at City Hospital recently, has been removed to his home, his condition improved.

Friends are not easily made when one grows older because one may want something for his "self sacrifice."

Dix Ave.—6 rooms partly modern, garage and large lot. Price $3,800.

Thew Ave.—6 rooms strictly modern, all built in features, hardwood floors and finish. A real buy at $5,500 or will trade for Cheaper home.

Oak Grove—6 rooms strictly modern with garage. Will trade for cheaper home.

Southwest side—7 rooms, modern except furnace. A wonderful bargain at $4,200 with $200 down.

116 acres—on paved road 7 miles from Marion. Can be sold for a short time as a whole or 70 acres with buildings. Special price of $80 per acre.

95 acres—south of Marion on pike. All good improvements and best of land. Convenient to market. A bargain at $115 per acre.

100 acres—between Radnor and Magnetic Springs on pike. All good buildings and splendid land at $75 per acre. Will take a Marion city property in exchange.

30 acres—east of Marion on pike at $3,500. Will trade for Marion city property.

For rent—apartment close in on South Main. Heat furnished, reasonable rent.

We also have two good large farms for rent.

W. M. SCHAAF & SON

141 South Main St.
Marion, Ohio.
Office Phone 2198.
Res. Phone 3421.

Today in Marion Markets

Groceries, Produce, Meats, Grain, Livestock

Reports indicate no change in the market today. The demand for fruit has fallen off, but a large variety may be found. The same applies to nuts left over from the holiday supplies.

Butter and eggs remain the same, butter bringing 38 cents a pound, and fresh eggs 46 cents a dozen. The only grapes on the market this morning were the large California variety, retailing at 15 and 20 cents a pound.

The supply of grapefruit is plentiful. Four grades are on display, two for 25 cents, three for 25 cents, four for 25 cents, and 10 cents each.

The assortment of apples for today came under three heads. Delicious, selling at $2.25 a bushel, Jonathas at $1.75 a bushel, and Banana apples, $1.75 a bushel.

All kinds of green vegetables such as head and leaf lettuce, green onions, carrots, turnips and spinach may be had today from fresh shipments arriving this morning. Cranberries are retailing at two pounds for 25 cents.

Oysters continue to retail at an average of 65 cents a quart. The price varies according to size. So far the price of oysters has changed very little this year.

Meats and provisions remain steady. A change is looked for toward the last of the week as hogs on the wholesale market have been going up for the last three days.

Cabbage, lb. 5c, new.
Brussel Sprouts, 45c qt.
Potatoes, 60c peck.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Green Onions, 10c a bunch
Onions, 5c lb.
Radishes, 3 bunches for 10 c
Silver Skin Onions, 8c lb.
Garlic, 35c lb.
Carrots, 10c a bunch.
Turnips, 3 lbs. for 10c.
Mushrooms, hothouse, 75c lb.
Artichokes, 10c each.
Leaf Lettuce, 20c lb.
Head Lettuce, 10c and 15c head
Spinach, 15c and 20c lb.
Endive, 35c lb.
Cauliflower, 20c and 30c.
Celery, 2 bunches for 15c.
Mangoes, green, 5c each.
Squash, new, 5c lb. Hubbard, 3c lb
Pop Corn, 3 lbs. for 25c.
Pumpkins, 10 and 15c each.
Tomatoes, hothouse, 40c lb.
Kale, 15c lb.
Flour, 24½ lbs., $1 to $1.50.
Eggs, fresh doz., 46c.
Storage eggs 43c.
Butter, 58c lb.
Comb Honey, 25c
Strained honey, 25c a jar.
Cane Sugar, 100 lb bulk, $7.00; 25 lbs., $1.75.

NUTS

Hickory, 3 lbs. for 25c.
Almonds, 30c lb.
Coconuts, 10c each.
English Walnuts, lb. 30c.
Brazil Nuts, 20c lb.
Hazel Nuts, 35c lb
Black Walnuts, 4 lbs. 25c
Pecans, paper shell, 65c lb.
Italian Chestnuts, 20c lb.
Mixed Nuts, 20c lb.

FRUITS

Pineapples, 50c.
Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c.
Quinquats, 45c box.
Persimmons, 15c each.
Apples, 5c lb.; $1.25 bushel.
Pears, imported, 3 for 25c.
Dates, 20c lb.
California Grapes, 15c and 20c lb.
Cranberries, 2 lbs for 25
Orange, 25c-70c.
Tangerines, 30c.
Grapefruit, 10c and 2 for 25c.
Lemons, 40c.
Bananas, 35c a doz.
Pulled Pigs, 40c lb.
Layer Pigs, 25c lb.
Stewing Pigs, 15c lb.
String Pigs, 25c lb.
Package Pigs, 10c and 20c.

Meats and Provisions

Oysters, 75c qt.
Smoked Ham, 40c lb.
Smoked Sliced Ham, 50c.
Callie Hams, 22c lb
Pork Chunk, 17c lb
Pork Chops, 28c and 30c.
Sausage, lb. 28c.
Boiled Ham, 60c.
Minced Ham, lb. 30c
Hamburg, 14 to 20c lb
Lard, 18c lb.
Bologna, lb., 22c.
Bacon, 24 to 55c lb.
Liver, pork, 10c, lb; beef, 12½c.
Wiener, lb., 25c.
Dried Beef, 50 to 65c lb.
Dressed Chickens, 35c lb.
Dressed Turkeys, 55c lb.

MARION STOCKYARDS

Hogs—Market, lower. Heavies over 300 lbs., 12.00; 250 to 300, 12.00; mediums, 12.00; heavy yorkers, 12.00; light yorkers, 12.15; pigs, 12.15; roughs, 9.50; stags, 7.50.

Cattle—Steady. Prime steers, 7.00@8.25; fair, 5.00@6.25; prime heifers, 6.00@7.00; fat cows, 4.00@4.25; common, 2.50@3.50; calves, 5.00@13.50.

Sheep — Market steady. Choice lambs, 7.00@11.25; yearlings, 7.00@7.50; bucks, 2.50; ewes, top, 4.00@5.00; ewes, 1.50@3.00.

LOCAL PRODUCE

Poultry—Market, steady Heavy fowls, 19; heavy springers, 19; leghorn springers 12; leghorn fowls, 10; old roosters, 9; ducks, 18; geese, 12

Fresh eggs, 38c farm price; pullet eggs 30 to 35c.

Butter fat, 53c.

LOCAL GRAIN

Oats—No. 3 white 36c per bushel.
Corn—No 3 car, $1.00.
Wheat—No. 1, $1.25.

HAY MARKET

No. 1 Timothy $14
No. 1 mixed, baled $13

Livestock

CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 28—Hogs—Receipts 37,000; market 10@15c lower; top 12.00; bulk 11.40@11.85; heavy weight 11.50@12.00; medium weight 11.45@11.95; light weight 11.30@11.90; light lights 11.35@11.85; packing sows 10.25@11.10; pigs 11.25@11.85.

Cattle — Receipts 11,000; market steady; calves—receipts 3,500; market strong; beef steers, good and choice 10.00@11.25; common and medium 7.00@9.50; yearlings 7.00@12.00; butcher cattle, heifers 5.50@10.00; cows 4.75@7.50; bulls 5.00@7.50; calves 11.00@13.25; feeder steers 6.00@8.75; stocker steers 5.75@8.50; stocker cows and heifers, 4.00@6.00.

Sheep: Receipts 13,000; market 15@25c lower; medium and choice lambs 12.50@13.25; culls and common 8.50@10.50; yearlings 8.50@10.00; common and choice ewes 4.00@6.50; feeder lambs 10.50@11.75.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, Dec. 28 — Hogs—Receipts 000; market 25c higher; quotations 250-350 lbs. 13.00@13.25, 200-250 lbs 13.00@13.25; 160-200 lbs. 13.00@13.25; 130-160 13.00@13.25; 90-130 lbs 13.00@13.25; packing sows 10.50@11.25

Cattle—Receipts 200; calves 100; market steady; bulk quotations, beef steers 3.00@4.00; veal ers 10.00@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 000; market 25c higher; quotations, top, fat lambs 13.25; bulk cull lambs 10.00@11.00, bulk fat ewes 6.00@7.00.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Hogs—Receipts, 1,000. Market, 15@25c lower; top, 12.75. 250-350 lbs., 12.50@12.60; 200-250 lbs., 12.50@12.60; 160-200 lbs., 12.00@12.75; 130-160 lbs. 12.00@12.75; 90-130 lbs., 12.70@12.75; packing sows, 10.50@11.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 200; calves, 200. Market, steady. Beef steers, 7.75@8.25; beef cows, 4.75@6.00; low cutter and cutter cows, 3.25@4.50; veal ers, 10.00@10.50.

Sheep Receipts, 2,000. Market, steady. Top, fat lambs, 13.25, bulk fat lambs, 13.00@13.25; bulk cull lambs, 8.00@10.00, bulk fat ewes, 4.00@6.00

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Dec. 28—Cattle—Supply light. Market, steady. Choice, 9.75@10.00; prime, 9.00@9.65; good, 9.25@10.00; tidy butchers, 8.50@9.00; fair, 7.75@8.25; common, 6.25@7.25; common to good fat bulls, 4.50@7.25; common to good fat cows, 3.25@5.75; heifers, 7.25@8.00; fresh cows and springers, $50@$100; veal calves, 10.00

Sheep and Lambs—Supply, 500. Market, steady. Good, 7.50; lambs, 13.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 500. Market, steady. Prime heavy hogs, 12.30@12.75; mediums, 12.75@12.85; heavy yorkers, 12.75@12.85; light yorkers, 12.85@12.90; pigs, 12.85@12.90; roughs, 10.00@11.25; stags, 5.00@7.50.

TOLEDO

Toledo, Dec. 28—Hogs—Receipts 400; market 25c lower; selected heavies 11.75@12.25; good mediums 12.00@12.25; heavy yorkers 12.00@12.25; light yorkers 12.00@12.25; good mixed 12.00; common to light pigs 12.00@12.50; roughs 10.00@10.50.

Cattle—Market slow.

Veal Calves—Market strong.

Sheep and Lambs—Market steady.

INDUSTRIAL STOCKS ON SHARP DECLINE TODAY

Concentrated Professional Selling Causes Price Drops in Many Quarters

Railroad stocks irregular; industrial stocks reactionary; domestic bonds strong; foreign bonds strong; call money 3½ per cent; grain unchanged; copper unchanged; oil unchanged; cotton steady; rubber unchanged; sugar unchanged; pig iron unchanged; foreign exchange firm.

New York, Dec. 28—Industrial stock prices declined sharply today as the result of concentrated professional selling of the speculative leaders, to which was added a considerable volume of year-end tax selling and profit taking.

Bearish professionals applied their heaviest pressure against the high-priced industrial shares which had led the advance movement in the early part of the week, and values melted quickly, wiping out the early advances and driving prices of such well known stocks as American Can and Allied Chemical to the low levels of the month.

Failure of the American Can directors to authorize more than the regular 50 cent dividend on the common stock of the company, and the continuance of the 5 ½ per cent call loan rate unsettled speculative sentiment quite early in the day, and when selling orders were dumped in large volume on the market the downward movement of prices became pronounced.

Allied Chemical was also seized upon as a target for the bears after the directors increased the dividend rate to six per cent, and the stock dropped 5 points to 130.

TOLEDO

Toledo, Dec. 28—Close:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 1.38@1.40.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 72@73.
Oats—No. 3 white, 49@50.
Rye—No. 2, 88.
Barley—No. 2, 65.
Clover seed—Cash, imported, old, 20.40; domestic, 22.75; Dec., 17.75; Jan., 17.75 asked; Feb., 17.95; March, 17.95.

Alsike—Cash, 20.75; March, 21.00.
Timothy—Cash, old, 2.65; Dec., 2.85; Feb., 3.00; March, 3.05.

LIBERTY BONDS

New York, Dec. 28—Opening Liberty bonds: 3½s, 100.31; first 4¼s, 102.25; second 4¼s, 100.30; third 4¼s, 101.13; fourth 4¼s, 103.7; new 4¼s, 100.24; new 4, 103.24; new 3¾s, 102.28.

One doesn't feel kindly toward people who estimate him entirely by his mistakes instead of offsetting them with his good qualities.

It is all very well to make fun of small economies, but small economies put the will in the proper condition to accomplish the big ones. It is a psychological law.

It can be said about golf that men play it because they like it. It is one sport that isn't followed because it is fashionable.

Baroness Klinckowstroem, noted Swedish sportswoman, is riding horseback from Stockholm to Paris in 30 daily stages.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Christena Fulty, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Mary E. Holderness has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the Estate of Christena Fulty, late of Marion County, deceased.

Dated at Marion, Ohio, this 13th day of December, A. D. 1926.

LOUIS H. McNEAL,
Probate Judge, Marion County, Ohio.
By OSCAR GANT,
Deputy Clerk.
Dec. 14, 21, 28.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of Chattel Mortgage executed and delivered by Charles Miller to The Dick Brunn Co. of Marion, Ohio, and filed with the County Recorder, Marion County, Ohio, on which default has been made, the undersigned will sell the chattel mortgaged property described in said mortgage to-wit:

One Fordson Tractor, motor number 3726949.

One Oliver Plow and One Disc Harrow.

At public sale at 152 N. Main St., in city of Marion, at 3:00 P. M., Dec. 29.

THE DICK BRUNN CO.,
152 N. Main St.
Dec. 28, 30, 28.

GRAINS OPEN LOWER ON CHICAGO TRADE BOARD

Wheat Starts Day One-Eighth to Three-Eighths Down in Market

Chicago, Dec. 28—Grains opened lower today with wheat starting 1-8 to 3-8 down; corn 1-4 to 3-4 lower and oats unchanged to 1-8 lower.

Opening: Wheat—Dec., 1.40 1-8@1.40 3-8; May, 1.40 7-8@1.41; July, 1.32 3-4.

Corn—Dec., 71 1-2@71 3-4; May, 81 3-8@81 1-2; July, 84 1-2.

Oats—Dec., none; May, 50; July, 48.

Chicago Dec. 28—Grains closed sharply lower today with wheat off as much as 2⅞ to 4 cents; corn down 1⅝ to 2¼ and oats 1⅜ to 1¾ cents lower.

Range:

	High	Low	Close
Wheat			
Dec.	1.40⅝	1.36½	1.36⅝
May	1.41¾	1.38¼	1.38½
July	1.32⅝	1.29⅝	1.30⅛
Corn			
Dec.	.71⅝	.70	.70
May	.81⅛	.79⅝	.79⅞
July	.84⅝	.83	.83
Oats			
Dec.	.45⅝	.45	.45
May	.50	.48⅝	.49
July	.48	.47	.47
Rye			
Dec.			.94⅝
May			.99⅛
July			.97
Lard			
Jan.			12.37
March			12.55
May			12.65

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Produce

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Dec. 28—Butter—Extra, 56@57; extra firsts, 53½@54½; firsts, 51½@52½; packing, 37@38.

Eggs—Extra, 51; extra firsts, 49; firsts, 43@45; pullet, 31.

Oleo—High grade, 20@27; lower grades, 20@22.

Cheese—York state, new, 27@28.

Poultry—Fowls, 20@27; roosters, 16@17; springers, 20@27; ducks, 28@30; turkeys, 15@18; geese, 22@25.

Apples—Baldwins, 3.00@3.25.

Potatoes—Ohios, 1.25@1.35.

CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 28—Butter—Receipts, 11,882 tubs, Creamery, extra, 51; extra firsts, 48@49; firsts, 44@46; packing stock, 29@30.

Eggs—Receipts, 6,549 cases. Miscellaneous, 42; ordinary firsts, 38@40; firsts, 41@44; extra, 35; checks, 27@29; dirties, 28@31.

Cheese—Twins, new, 24½@24¾; dailies, 24½@25; young Americas, 26@26¾; longhorns, 26½@26½; brick, 24.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, 36, Chickens, 19@25½; springs, 25; roosters, 18; geese, 27; ducks, 20@32.

INCREASE DIVIDED—

New York, Dec. 28—Directors of the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation increased the dividend rate on the common stock from 4 to 6 per cent today when they declared a dividend of $1.50 a share payable to stockholders of record Jan. 1. Previously the stock paid $4 annually.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

2 O'CLOCK QUOTATIONS

Ajax Rubber	9½	New York Central	141½
Allis Chalmers	80⅝	N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	42⅝
American Beet Sugar	21	Norfolk & Western	155⅛
American Agricultural	127⅝	Northern Pacific	80
American Can	50	Pure Oil	27⅝
American Car & Foundry	101⅝	Pennsylvania	56⅛
American H. & L.	9	Peoples Gas	120
American Linseed	29⅝	Pitts. Coal	37½
American Locomotive	103¼	Nat'l. Cash Reg.	40½
American Smelting	141½	Pressed Steel Car	40⅞
American Steel Foundry	44¼	Ray Consolidated	15⅝
American Sugar Refining	89⅝	Railway Steel Springs	36
American Tel. & Tel	148¾	Reading	94
American Woolen	33	Republic Iron & Steel	56⅝
American Zinc	8¾	Southern Pacific	100⅜
Anaconda	48	Southern Railway	122⅝
Atchison	165½	Studebaker	54⅛
Atlantic Gulf & W. I.	39¼	Texas Co.	56¼
Baldwin Locomotive	161⅛	Tobacco Products	108
Baltimore & Ohio	106⅜	Union Pacific	161⅛
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COUNCIL LAUDS G.E. MOUSER, JR. FOR HIS WORK

Retiring City Solicitor Honored at Final Meeting of Year

Expressions of praise for the service performed by Grant E. Mouser, Jr., during his three years as City Solicitor, which will terminate on Jan. 8 when his resignation goes into effect, featured last night's City Council meeting the closing session of the year. It was also Mr. Mouser's final meeting with the city legislative body in the capacity of Solicitor. All members of Council lauded Mr. Mouser for his diligence in handling the city's legal affairs, calling attention to the fact that during his term of service an unusually large number of important and complicated problems developed.

Probably the most glowing tribute came from Fire Chief T. J. McFarland, who was closely associated with the Solicitor in settling the waterworks franchise controversy and other important problems which came up for solution during the last three years.

"Mr. Mouser at all times fought for the things that he regarded as vitally necessary for the people's welfare," the Fire Department head stated. "He never permitted personal friendship to influence him."

In this connection, McFarland recalled Mr. Mouser's close attention to mapping out of the city's financial policies and drafting of the annual budgets and appropriation ordinances. He invariably insisted on the lowest possible appropriations even when his closest associates in the city administration urged larger amounts, the Fire Chief stated.

Mr. Mouser was called upon to handle the largest amount of important business coming before the city's legal department in the last 10 or possibly 20 years, Mr. McFarland said. Included in this were the new waterworks and telephone rate schedules and the occupational tax, levied to extricate the city from a financial crisis.

In response, Mr. Mouser assured Council that his association with city officials had been at all times agreeable and pleasant and he praised Council for its efforts to conduct municipal affairs along efficient and economical lines.

Mr. Mouser will retire on Jan. 8 to accept appointment as special counsel in the attorney general's office. He will have charge of the legal work of the State Highway Department.

CITY COUNCIL GRANTS WILDWOOD-CT PAVING

Improvement Authorized After Residents Had Waited More Than Year for Action

After having filed two petitions and waited more than a year for action by City Council, Wildwood-ct residents have finally been successful in their efforts to have their street paved. A resolution authorizing the improvement was adopted by Council at its meeting last night.

The project was delayed by the question of financing and was finally granted when Council ascertained that all but two per cent of the cost will be paid by the property owners. The total cost is estimated at $1,800.

The street now has a Macadam paving and this will be used as a foundation for new surfacing. Wildwood-ct extends east from S. Prospect-st near McKinley Lake.

IMPROVEMENT SOUGHT FOR OAKLAND HEIGHTS

W. T. Jones Petitions Council for Sewers and Sidewalks Preliminary to Building

In preparation for building operations planned for next year, W. T. Jones, local realtor, filed petitions with City Council last night asking for the construction of sewers and sidewalks in a section of the Oakland Heights addition. Many lot owners in this locality are prepared to build homes and expect to start as soon as the street improvements are installed, it is stated.

The petitions were referred to the sewer, and sidewalk, committees of Council following last night's reading and are expected to receive favorable action early next year.

The sewer petition asks for both sanitary and storm water drains on Bellefontaine-av from Barks-av to Glendale-av, on Glendale from Bellefontaine to lot No. 12747 on Chatfield-rd from Bellefontaine-av to lot No. 12762 and on Maynard-av from Chatfield-rd to Sheridan-rd.

Sidewalks petitioned for would be laid on the south side of Sheridan-rd from Barks-av west to the east terminus of the present walk and on the west side of Barks-av, north side of Bellefontaine-av and east side of Chatfield-rd from Barks-av to Maynard-av, both sides of Maynard-av from Chatfield-rd to Sheridan-rd and north side of Glendale-av from Bellefontaine-av to lot No. 12747.

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BAR EXAMS ARE PASSED BY 244 MEN AND WOMEN

Plans Complete at Columbus for Administering of Oath

Columbus, Dec. 28—Plans were completed today for administering the oath as practicing attorneys of Ohio courts to 244 men and women, from all sections of the state, who passed the bar examinations held here this month.

Thirty-two candidates failed to pass and the highest grade was made by Miss Susan M. Rebban, of Columbus, with an average of 93.5 per cent. She will practice in Cleveland.

Frank E. Joseph, of Cleveland, was second highest with a grade of 92.1 per cent. The successful candidates will be sworn in Friday at a luncheon at the Southern Hotel, given by Franklin County Bar Association.

Nearby Cities

The list of successful candidates included, among others, the following:

Ada—Alfred I. Brideau, Cecil E. Edwards, Earl J. Frase, Norman S. James, Walter G. Rusher.

Kent A. Buchanan, 413 Woodlawn-av, Bucyrus.

William G. Murphy, Fostoria.

Dwight C. Cessna, Kenton.

Stuart H. Cramer, 229 Rowland-st, Mansfield.

Carl F. Shaffer, Delphos.

Miss Ethel Elder, Mt. Gilead (probate judge.)

Archie E. Arnold, Bryan.

William J. Porter, Marysville.

Francis P. Spriggs, Paulding.

Carroll P. Wasserman, Fremont.

8,000 MOTORISTS HERE STILL WITHOUT LICENSE

Only 145 of 1,000 Truck Owners in County Have Taken Out Tags

With less than a week remaining before Ohio autoists will not be permitted to drive unless their cars are provided with 1927 license plates, there are approximately 8,000 Marion County residents who have not taken out the necessary credentials.

This is the information given out today at the Marion Auto Club, where 1927 licenses were placed on sale on Dec. 7.

Despite the fact that the time limit will expire within a few days, only a few applicants for licenses appeared at the Auto Club office today.

It will be impossible to distribute more than a third of the remaining licenses this week, Mrs. D. V. Gallagher, secretary of the club, stated today, so that several thousand autoists face the certain prospect of being forced to leave their cars at home beginning Jan. 1.

The only hope for these furdy motorists is the possibility of local authorities granting a time extension for 1926 licenses. That hope is very slight, it was indicated today, when Mayor Hazen and police said that they have no plans under way for allowing an extension.

The county's quota of truck licenses totals 1,000 and this morning only 145 had been issued. Unusually slow progress in the license distribution is not centered solely in Marion but is general throughout the state, reports to the local office indicate. In nearly all counties the sale is far below the record of last year.

CONSTABLE AND DEPUTIES HELD IN DOCTOR'S DEATH

Son of Physician Tells Police Officers Fired 20 Shots in Gruesome Tragedy

Pinesville, Ky., Dec. 28—A constable and four of his deputies today were being held in jail here without bond, in connection with the Christmas Day slaying of Dr. R. L. Lattimore, a local physician.

Bitner Smith, constable, and Gustavus Smith, Daniel Smith, Frank Bowman and Zinn Girtman, all deputies, were ordered arrested by Coroner W. G. Taylor early today on warrants charging wilful murder following an inquest into the killing late yesterday.

"It was the most brutal and inhuman slaying in the bloody history of this part of the state," D. M. Bingham, county attorney, declared to International News Service today.

The officers, who declared that they went to the physician's residence to arrest him on a minor charge, were held responsible by the 12-year-old son of the slain man for the 20 shots that riddled Lattimore's body, according to a story told Bingham by the youth.

Dr Lattimore, according to evidence introduced at the coroner's inquest yesterday, was shot after he had asked the officers to "please wait a minute until I finish my Christmas dinner before taking me to jail."

HUMANE OFFICER ASKS FOR SALARY INCREASE

James F. Ullom Petitions Council for Pay Boost of $20 Monthly

An application for an increase in salary was received by City Council at it meeting last night in a letter from James F. Ullom, officer of the Marion County Humane Society, who called attention to the volume of work handled by his office and expressed the opinion that his present compensation of $110 a month is inadequate. He requested Council to consider granting him an additional $20 a month.

Mr. Ullom stated that through activities of the Humane Society, between $18,000 and $20,000 a year is now being paid to children who have been deserted by their fathers or whose parents have separated. All of these funds are collected from the fathers without any charge of fees by the Humane Society, Mr. Ullom said in his letter.

The Humane Society officer now receives $50 a month from the city and $55 from the county. He is required to furnish and maintain his own automobile.

Several members of Council expressed the opinion that Ullom's salary is too small. His letter was placed on file for further consideration.

TAX BLANKS FOR CORPORATIONS BEING MAILED

176 Organizations in County to Which Sheets Will Be Sent

Tax books for the Marion city district have been turned over to County Treasurer James E. Messenger from the auditor's office, and tax receipts are now being made out in the treasurer's office.

The date for starting collection of taxes for the city has not been set, and will not be until the receipt work has progressed farther.

Personal property tax blanks for corporations in Marion County are being mailed out today by the county auditor. This tax covers all machinery and other equipment of corporations in the county, and is made out as of Jan. 1 of each year, and is payable in the following December. There are 176 corporations in Marion County to which personal property tax return blanks are given.

Real Estate Transfers

Vernon Heights Realty Co. to Edward O. Uncapher, part two lots in Marion, $1.

Harry A. Leffler to Russell M. Wilhelm, part of two lots in Marion, $1.

Nellie D. Owens to Arthur E. Moore plot in Montgomery Township, $1.

Maybell Edna Pangborn to Josephine Donaldson, 51¼ acres in Big Island Township, $1.

Marriage License

Jessie Bowman, 28, chauffeur, Mansfield and Pearl Cameron, 36, Marion.

FORMER MARION WOMAN IS DEAD IN COLUMBUS

Mrs. Carlotta Springer Dies at Home in Columbus; Two Sisters in Marion

Word was received here late Monday of the death in Columbus early yesterday morning of Mrs. Carlotta Springer, former Marion resident. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1227 Harrison-av, Columbus, at 2 p. m. Wednesday.

Mrs. Springer is survived by her husband, two daughters, five grandchildren, three sisters and four brothers. The daughters are Mrs. W. G. Bristow and Mrs. Ray Meinrad, both of Columbus.

Two sisters live in Marion. They are Mrs. Henry Thicken and Mrs. G. W. Jones, both living on Lee-st. The other sister is Mrs. M. J. Koester, Sigel, Ill. The brothers are Henry Perry, Creston, Ohio; C. W. Perry, Sunnyvale, Calif.; M. D. Perry, Salem, Neb., and William A. Perry, Longmont, Colo.

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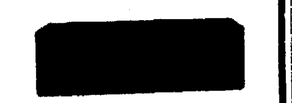

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DuPont Duco Auto Finishing and repainting, Thompson & Coleman, corner Greenwood and Wilson. Phone 2869.—Adv.

Christmas Dance, Tuesday night, Masonic Hall, Mt. Gilead. Dixie Jazz Orchestra. J. K. Schwinger.—Adv. 1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our darling baby, Richard, to those who sent the beautiful floral offerings, and to those who so kindly donated their machines and to Rev. Fr. Cotter for his comforting words. We thank them one and all.

Mrs. Catherine Morshall,
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sosey and family. Adv.1t

This week I have opened a meat market in connection with my grocery store located at 156 Van Buren-st. Full line of meats. Delivery service. E. C. Rail.—Adv. 31-pd.

MARION THEATER GIVES UNIQUE YULE PROGRAM

Arrangement Is Presented Under Direction of Paul Gomez, Orchestra Conductor

One of the best Christmas programs ever arranged for presentation in a local showhouse was given Friday and Saturday at the Marion Theater under the direction of Paul E. Gomez, orchestra conductor.

Featuring the Christmas arrangement was a pantomine in which four singers, Mrs. Clarence L. Rutherford, Miss Frances Irvin, Ernst C. Carl and John Lacey, took part. Carols were sung and special Christmas music was given by the orchestra.

A reproduction of a babe in the manger scene with unique lighting effects and appropriate music combined to make this program an unusual entertainment.

Men's 4-Buckle Arctics $2.98 Cloth or all rubber.

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POLICE RECOVER AUTO ABANDONED BY THIEVES

Thefts of Tire Here and Another Machine in Kenton Are Reported

L. P. Hartley, 780 Herbert-st, has reported to the police that a tire was stolen from the rear of his automobile Sunday, while it was stored in a side garage.

C. F. Rubins, 473 Davids-st, reported his Ford touring car stolen from parking place near the Erie railroad house Friday night but the machine was found a few hours later near the city waterworks, west of the city where it had been abandoned by the thieves.

A message received at local police headquarters from Kenton authorities states that a Ford touring car, bearing Ohio license B-45-733, was stolen from its parking place on a street in Kenton Saturday.

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After Christmas—Our Semi-Annual Clean Up Sale of Fur Trimmed Coats

In order to facilitate selection we have divided our fur trimmed coats in two groups of $15.00 and $25.00. Every coat in this sale has been taken from regular stock and marked down.

$15.00 and $25.00

Sale of Fur Coats

Plain Australian Seal $77.50

Buck Seal with grey squirrel collar $99.50

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Australian Seal with Fitch collar $137.50

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